

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

TOWN

AND

School Officers

1954

**HINSDALE
NEW HAMPSHIRE**

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Town Officers
OF
HINSDALE, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1953



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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

JASON W. HOLMAN

Selectmen and Assessors

CLIFFORD D. STEARNS	Term expires 1954
JOHN W. ROYCE	Term expires 1955
J. DAVID DUGGAN	Term expires 1956

Town Clerk

ELEANOR S. SMITH

Town Treasurer

ROGER HOLLAND

Collector of Taxes

WANDELL A. GOVE

Highway Agent

FRANK P. MOSHER

Water and Sewer Commissioners

HAROLD C. HOLLAND	Term expires 1954
TUCKER H. DAVID	Term expires 1955
EDWARD McCORMICK	Term expires 1956

Supervisors of Check List

RAY F. FLETCHER	WILLIAM WATSON
ROBERT CUNNINGHAM	

Representative

ORSON G. SMITH

Auditors

MILDRED MERRITT	RICHARD MITCHELL
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Overseers of Charities

HOWARD I. STREETER
MABEL C. HILDRETH

Chief of Fire Department

DENTER K. ROYCE

Municipal Court

HAROLD R. WEEKS, Justice

Health Officer

MABEL C. HILDRETH

Forest Fire Warden

DEXTER K. ROYCE

Deputy Wardens

PETER ZAVOROTNY	CLIFFORD D. STEARNS
LEON THOMAS	JOSEPH DOUCETTE

Police

GEORGE PODMORE, Chief	ROBERT A. BRANDL
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Trustees of Trust Funds

RAY L. FLETCHER	Term expires 1954
JASON W. HOLMAN	Term expires 1955
LOUIS N. STEARNS	Term expires 1956

Library Trustees

MILDRED MERRITT	Term expires 1954
HILDA HOLMAN	Term expires 1955
SUSAN HOLLAND	Term expires 1956

Budget Committee

HAROLD C. HOLLAND	CLARENCE O'NEAL
LEO GRATTON	PERCY STEWART
PRENTISS W. TAYLOR	

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

GLENN HIGGINS

Fence Viewers

HERBERT NEWELL

Sexton

EARLE WILLIAMS

Constable

GEORGE PODMORE

Playground Committee

EDWARD DUBRISKI	Term expires 1954
BERNARD O'CONNOR	Term expires 1954
CHARLES PARDEE	Term expires 1955
HARLEY SHELDON	Term expires 1956
MICHAEL BOLDEN	Term expires 1956

Community Room Committee

MRS. CLARENCE O'NEAL	MRS. WILLIAM POWERS
MRS. THOMAS GOLDEN	

Memorial Day Committee

MICHAEL BOLDEN	CHESTER WATERMAN
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200th Anniversary Committee

RICHARD ROUILLARD	PRENTISS TAYLOR
SUSAN HOLLAND	
ROSETTA LOWE	FRANCIS MASON

Public Health Nursing Committee

MAJORIE ZAVOROTNY	DOROTHY BRANDL
BEATRICE DAVID	HELEN DOYER

Supplemental Water Supply Committee

RUSSELL GARFIELD	LEO GRATTON
RUSSELL STREETER	TUCKER DAVID
C. S. BREWER	CLIFFORD STEARNS

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TOWN WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hinsdale qualified to vote on Town affairs :

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall, on Tuesday, the 9th day of March, 1954, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and act on the following subjects :

Article 1. To elect all necessary town officers.

Article 1A. To see if the provisions of Chapter 171-A of the Revised Laws relative to playing games of beano shall be adopted in this town.

(Polls are open on Articles 1, 1A from 9:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.) *

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to accept and adopt the report of the Selectmen, auditors and other town officers.

Article 3. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the payment of ordinary town charges, for the maintenance of the fire department, for highways, and for all other necessary expenses arising within the town. (*See Budget)

Article 4. To see if the voters will authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to borrow a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate \$50,000.00 in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the current municipal year, and to issue in the name and on the credit of the Town negotiable notes therefor, said notes to be repaid during the current municipal year from taxes collected within the current municipal year.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$390.87 to which the State will contribute \$2,605.80 to be expended on Class 5 roads.

Article 6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$105.32 to pay the balance due on the Fire Station, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 to which will be added the sum of \$400.00 from the Cemetery Lot Fund to purchase land adjacent to Pine Grove Cemetery, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum Eight-Hundred Dollars (\$800.00) to purchase new mowers for the Playground or act in any manner thereon.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000 to be used for an engineers survey and test borings to be made in connection with the proposed extension of the water system.

Article 10. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$360.00 to redecorate the interior of the library, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept the building and land known as the Plains School, from the School District, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 12. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 to employ State Auditors to audit accounts, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 13. Transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal in said Hinsdale this 12th day of February, 1954.

CLIFFORD D. STEARNS
JOHN W. ROYCE
J. DAVID DUGGAN
Selectmen of Hinsdale

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CLIFFORD D. STEARNS
JOHN W. ROYCE
J. DAVID DUGGAN
Selectmen of Hinsdale

ASSETS

1953 Taxes estimated collectible	\$1,800.00
Cash on hand	\$42,728.77
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	\$44,528.77

LIABILITIES

Due Board of Education (December 31, 1953)	45,327.00
Due on Water Bonds	5,000.00
Due on Prospect Street sewer bonds	12,000.00
Due on fire station construction	57,000.00
Reserve—timber tax	337.56
State of N. H. head taxes	530.00
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	\$120,194.56
Less Assets	44,528.77
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Net Debt of Town	75,665.79
School District Notes	\$139,000.00

1954
BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF
HINSDALE, N. H.

Purposes	Appropriations Year 1953	Expenditures Year 1953	Budget Committee recommended appropriations 1954
Miscellaneous charges	\$800.00	\$1,236.48	\$800.00
Town Officers' salaries	3,400.00	3,525.00	3,525.00
Town Officers' expenses	850.00	706.19	850.00
Election and Registration	200.00	310.05	450.00
Municipal Court expenses	150.00	150.00	150.00
Town Hall and other bldgs.	5,500.00	4,768.38	5,000.00
Police Department	1,600.00	1,905.25	1,800.00
Fire department	4,500.00	5,611.63	4,500.00
Tree spray	100.00	100.00	100.00
Elliot Community Hospital	200.00	200.00	200.00
Health department	50.00	50.00	50.00
Vital statistics	60.00	41.00	60.00
Public Health Nurse	3,200.00	2,879.14	3,200.00
Rubbish and garbage removal	1,600.00	1,580.00	1,800.00
HIGHWAYS:			
Summer including sidewalks	7,000.00	7,073.84	7,500.00
Winter including sidewalks	6,000.00	8,229.75	6,000.00
Street lighting	3,200.00	3,479.26	3,620.00
Tar	3,500.00	3,451.66	3,500.00
Libraries	3,000.00	3,000.40	3,000.00
Town Poor	2,000.00	3,461.97	2,000.00
Old Age Assistance	2,500.00	3,416.62	2,500.00
Memorial Day	200.00	174.75	200.00
Aid to soldiers and their families	200.00		200.00
Playgrounds	2,000.00	2,103.73	2,000.00
Cemeteries	1,600.00	1,355.75	1,800.00
Damages and legal expenses	100.00	41.00	100.00

Purposes	Appropriations Year 1953	Expenditures Year 1953	Budget Committee recommended appropriations 1954
Monadnock Region Association	50.00	50.00	50.00
Employees' retirement and Social Security	350.00	590.36	600.00
Interest on temporary loans	50.00	200.00	55.00
Interest on long term notes and bonds	1,627.50	1,587.50	1,345.00
PAYMENT ON PRINCIPAL OF DEBT:			
(a) Bonds	10,000.00	10,000.00	5,000.00
(b) Long term notes	5,000.00	5,000.00	8,000.00
County Taxes	9,514.28	9,514.28	9,500.00
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	\$80,101.78	\$87,581.49	\$79,455.00

The above items should be considered under Article 3 of the Town Warrant.

REVENUE

	Estimated [*] 1954 Revenue	Actual 1953 Revenue
Interest and dividends tax	\$3,369.42	\$3,400.00
Railroad tax	1,579.89	1,500.00
Savings Bank tax	340.77	350.00
Dog licenses	421.40	400.00
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	65.50	65.50
Fines and forfeits, Municipal Court	289.40	300.00
Rent of town hall and other buildings	145.00	150.00
Water departments	577.50	347.50
Motor vehicle permit fees	6,829.05	7,000.00
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	\$13,617.93	\$13,513.00

TABLE III
TOWN OF HINSDALE
Comparative Statement of Indebtedness, Valuation and Taxes

Fiscal year ended:	Long term Notes & Bonds	Net debt	Valuation	Taxes Assessed	Uncollected Taxes	Tax rate Per \$100	Av. state Tax rate Per \$100
January 31, 1943	\$105,500.00	\$87,711.18	\$3,352,295.00	\$82,601.08	\$2,790.12	\$2.40	\$3.23
January 31, 1944	94,500.00	88,286.11	3,361,020.00	65,151.17	2,183.27	1.88	3.03
December 31, 1944	83,500.00	79,868.34	3,370,985.00	79,640.87	3,675.43	2.22	3.07
December 31, 1945	73,000.00	66,595.01	3,374,440.00	89,738.89	4,372.15	2.52	3.26
December 31, 1946	88,500.00	82,560.46	3,389,015.00	97,372.22	3,524.20	2.82	3.47
December 31, 1947	75,000.00	65,861.06	3,543,035.00	136,409.33	6,888.67	3.80	3.71
December 31, 1948	62,000.00	45,903.76	3,893,895.00	145,966.11	5,314.15	3.70	4.06
December 31, 1949	49,500.00	32,689.33	3,728,020.00	158,441.84	4,105.43	4.20	4.31
December 31, 1950	37,000.00	22,008.17	3,782,398.00	159,440.57	3,233.21	4.30	4.31
December 31, 1951	24,500.00	5,927.90	3,806,196.00	161,912.42	2,543.49	4.24	4.35
December 31, 1952	87,000.00	72,822.31	3,798,652.00	162,935.84	2,528.36	4.24	4.52
December 31, 1953	74,000.00	75,665.79	3,905,374.00	190,102.11	2,107.34	4.96	

BONDED DEBT

Annual Maturities Water and Sewer Bonds

	Water Bonds at 2¾%	Sewer Bonds at 4%
Original Amount of Issue	\$114,000.00	\$55,000.00
Principal Maturing	October 1st each year	May 1st each year
Interest payable	April and October	May and November
Payable at	Second National Bank of Boston	Town Treasurer's Office
Yearly Maturities	Bonds	Interest
1954	\$5,000.00	\$137.50

Fire Station Construction

Notes dated November 1, 1952, interest 1¾%.
 Original amount of issue, \$60,000.00.
 Additional amount of issue \$2,000.00, November 1, 1953.
 Payment on Principal due November 1st of each year.
 Interest payable May 1st and November 1st of each year.
 Payable at Vermont Peoples National Bank, Brattleboro, Vt.

Year			Year		
Maturities	Note	Interest	Maturities	Note	Interest
1954	\$5,000.00	\$997.50	1960	\$5,000.00	\$472.50
1955	5,000.00	910.00	1961	5,000.00	385.00
1956	5,000.00	822.50	1962	5,000.00	297.50
1957	5,000.00	735.00	1963	5,000.00	210.00
1958	5,000.00	647.50	1964	5,000.00	122.50
1959	5,000.00	560.00	1965	2,000.00	35.00

Prospect Street Sewer

Notes dated December 1, 1952 at 1¾%.
 Original amount of issue, \$15,000.00.
 Payment on Principal due December 1st of each year.
 Interest payable June 1st and December 1st of each year.
 Payable at Winchester National Bank, Winchester, N. H.

Year Maturities	Notes	Interest
1954	\$3,000.00	\$210.00
1955	3,000.00	157.50
1956	3,000.00	105.00
1957	3,000.00	52.50

REPORT OF THE TOWN AUDITORS

The record books of the various Town Departments, as listed below, have been audited as of the close of business, December 31, 1953. We have verified, to the best of our ability, the totals reported, and believe that they are accurate representations of the financial status of these Departments.

In accordance with the requirements of the Tax Commission of the State of New Hampshire we have sent confirmations of unpaid property taxes to all parties listed on the books of the Tax Collector on December 31, 1953. In addition some confirmations have been sent in connection with unpaid poll and head taxes. As of January 30th, 1954 we have not received any advice that would indicate an irregularity in these lists. This procedure is recommended as a protection for the Collector as well as for persons whose names appear on his lists.

The various bonds, held in safe keeping, by the Trustees of Trust Funds, at the Keene National Bank, Keene, New Hampshire, were inspected. These bonds agree in full with the register maintained by the Trustees, both as to amounts, principal maturity date and numbers. The savings Bank Books were also checked and found to be in agreement with the lists of the Trustees.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank the Treasurers of the various departments for their interest and cooperation during the audits.

RICHARD M. MITCHELL,
MILDRED M. MERRITT

Town Auditors.

Books Audited :

Town Treasurer
Selectmen
Road Agent
Nursing Service
Cemetery Lot Fund
Fire Department

Trustees of Trust Funds
Library Committee
Town Clerk
Tax Collector
Playground Committee
Water and Sewer Dept.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on Hand, January 1st, 1953	\$47,326.56
Bicentennial, Food Committee	410.73
Bicentennial, Dance Committee	303.45
Bicentennial, Booklet Committee	358.00
Bicentennial, Souvenir Committee	30.94
Bicentennial, Refund loan	250.00
Bicycle registrations	24.50
Bingo permits	20.00
Cemetery account	2,018.07
Dog licenses	421.40
Filing fees	11.00
Loan, temporary, Winchester National Bank	50,000.00
Motor vehicle permits	7,321.05
Police Court, proportion of fines	289.40
Pool License	10.00
Note, Vermont-Peoples National Bank, New Fire House	2,000.00
Reimbursement, Mt. Monadnock Fire	181.50
Reimbursement, Grantham Fire, 40%	238.20
Reimbursement, Loans	370.00
Reimbursement, T.R.A.	1,250.90
Redeemed property, costs and interest	240.50
Refund, Highway Dept. 1952 account	1.68
Refund, Old age assistance	149.12
Refund, Cemetery tarring	112.50
Refund, purchase of tar	4.00
Refund, on old fire house insurance policies	57.49
Refund, over payment	45.00
Refund, loss of taxes on public forest lands	44.52
Rent of town hall	130.00
Rent of playground field house	15.00
Sale of Police uniform	25.00
Sale of old fire house	240.00
State Treasurer, Interest and Dividend tax	3,369.42
State Treasurer, Railroad tax	1,579.89
State Treasurer, Savings Bank tax	340.77

Tarring driveways	1,624.75
Town maintenance, summer	2,044.80
Town maintenance, winter	87.20
Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, collector, property	183,773.28
Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, collector, polls	1,714.00
Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, collector, interest	47.36
Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, collector, head tax	5,435.00
Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, collector, head tax penalties	80.00
Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, collector, yield tax	491.07
Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, collector, National Bank tax	83.00
Water and Sewer Dept. income from	577.50
Water and Sewer Dept. O.A.S.I. 1952	1.62
Water and Sewer Dept. Withholding tax and O.A.S.I. 1953	459.36
Firemen, O.A.S.I.	28.35
Highway Dept Withholding tax and O.A.S.I. 1953	1,138.12
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	316,776.00
Less selectmen's orders	274,047.23
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Cash on hand, December 31st, 1953	42,728.77

Cemetery Lot Fund

Cash on hand, December 31, 1952	634.78
Interest, July 1, 1953	6.34
Florence O'Connor	25.00
Interest, December 31, 1953	6.54
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Cash on hand, December 31, 1953	672.66

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The selectmen of the town submit the following report of the financial affairs of the town for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1953.

The valuation of the town as appraised April 1, 1953 was as follows:

Land and Buildings	\$1,163,915.00
Electric Plants	2,175,489.00
18 Horses and Asses	900.00
312 Cows	35,840.00
31 Other Neat Stock	1,600.00
64 Sheep and Goats	640.00
4 Hogs	120.00
550 Fowls	720.00
67 Fur-bearing Animals	1,550.00
3 Portable Mills	2,200.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	16,550.00
Stock in Trade	201,150.00
Mills and Machinery	304,700.00
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Total Valuation	3,905,374.00
Soldiers' Exemptions	108,900.00
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Net Valuation	3,796,474.00
857 polls	1,714.00
National Bank Stock	83.00
Tax rate	\$4.96
Poll	2.00
Total Appropriation	\$198,209.24
Less : Estimated Revenues and Credits :	
Interest and Dividends Tax	3,345.21
Railroad Tax	1,652.69
Savings Bank Tax	320.89
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal Lands	44.52

Reimbursement a/c Growing Timber	315.46	
Motor Vehicle Permit fees	6,500.00	
Dog Licenses	450.00	
Business Licenses and Permits	100.00	
Fines and Forfeits—Municipal Court	300.00	
Rent of Town Property and Equipment	200.00	
Interest on Taxes and Income		
from Trust Funds	50.00	
Water and Electric Departments	600.00	
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		13,878.77
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		\$184,330.47
Plus Overlay		5,771.64
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Net amount raised by taxation		190,102.11
Less poll taxes	1,714.00	
National Bank Stock	83.00	
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		1,797.00
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Amount tax rate figured on		\$188,305.11
Plus poll taxes		1,714.00
National Bank Stock Tax		83.00
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Total Taxes committed to Collector		\$190,102.11

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES**Town Officers' Salaries**

Clifford Stearns, Selectman and Clerk	\$750.00	
John Royce, Selectman	350.00	
J. David Duggan, Selectman	350.00	
Roger Holland, Treasurer and OASI Clerk	500.00	
Wandell Gove, Tax Collector	550.00	
Harold Holland, Auditor	25.00	
Tucker David, Auditor	25.00	
Tucker David, Water and Sewer Comm.	150.00	
Harold Holland, Water and Sewer Comm.	150.00	
Edward McCormick, Water and Sewer Comm.	150.00	
Jason W. Holman, Clerk of Trust Funds	150.00	
Howard Streeter, Overseer of Old Age	50.00	
Mabel Hildreth, Overseer of Charities	200.00	
Eleanor Smith, Town Clerk	125.00	
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	\$3,525.00	
Appropriation		\$3,400.00
Overdrawn		125.00
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	\$3,525.00	\$3,525.00

Town Officers' Expenses

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company	\$169.76
Colton Insurance Agency, bonds	217.20
Chase's, Supplies	77.73
Thomas Golden, Postage and Envelopes	70.84
Peter Zavortny, printing	52.25
Sentinel Printing Company, Fire Station Ad	2.40
Wandell Gove, postage as Tax Collector	20.00
Catherine Sprague, Typing Town Reports	24.00
Catherine Sprague, Recording Appraisal Information	14.00
Sylvia Fletcher, Typing Trust Funds	7.50
Deposit Box Rental, Trust Funds	4.80

U. S. Auto and Truck Company,		
Data for Registration	14.00	
Temple Insurance Agency, Town Officers Bonds	10.00	
G. H. Tilden Company, Town Seal	7.50	
Ida Horner, Association Dues	3.00	
A. E. Martell Co., Supplies	3.65	
J. W. Holman, Trust		
Fund Postage and Supplies	5.10	
Tucker David, Postage	2.46	
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	706.19	
Appropriation		\$850.00
Balance	143.81	
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	\$850.00	\$850.00

Election and Registration

Clifford Stearns, Selectman	\$10.00	
John Royce, Selectman	10.00	
J. David Duggan, Selectman	10.00	
Ray Fletcher, Supervisor of Check List	15.00	
William Watson, Supervisor	20.00	
William Watson, Check list frames	6.50	
Robert Cunningham, Supervisor	15.00	
Jason Holman, Moderator	20.00	
Eleanor Smith, Town Clerk	20.00	
Katherine Hammond, Ballot Clerk	10.00	
Susan Holland, Ballot Clerk	10.00	
Helen Roy, Ballot Clerk	10.00	
Mildred Zywna, Ballot Clerk	5.00	
Leona Young, Ballot Clerk	10.00	
Peter Zavorotny, Printing check lists	117.00	
York Cafe, meals	21.55	
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	310.05	
Appropriation		\$200.00
Overdrawn		110.05
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	\$310.05	\$310.05

Municipal Court

Harold R. Weeks, Judge	\$150.00	
Dr. Doyle, Blood Tests	13.00	
Dr. LaChaine, Blood Tests	3.00	
Peter Zavorotny, Printing Stationery	4.00	
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	170.00	
Fines and Forfeits		\$289.40
Appropriations		150.00
Balance	269.40	
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	\$439.40	\$439.40

Town Hall

Robert Brandl, janitor	\$2,080.00	
Colton Insurance Agency	415.72	
Hinsdale Fuel Company	658.58	
Hinsdale Water Works	41.94	
Public Service of N. H.	371.12	
Acme Chemical, supplies	79.22	
M. H. Fishman Company, keys	1.00	
F. J. Amarosa, gutters etc.	91.60	
N. H. Fire and Safety Company, extinguisher	32.00	
New England Telephone and Telegraph	69.02	
H. W. Taylor, plumbing	79.23	
Tri-State Vac. Sales	6.83	
C. H. Holland, Supplies	4.34	
George Jones, added insurance	241.32	
Temple Insurance Agency	726.46	
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	4,898.38	
Rent of Town Hall		130.00
Appropriation		\$5,500.00
Balance	731.62	
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	\$5,630.00	\$5,630.00

Police

George Podmore, Chief	\$882.00	
Frank Walker, Ex-Chief	210.00	
Robert Brandl, police	288.00	
James R. Shea, supplies	81.02	
H. W. Taylor Company, tapes and cartridges	35.14	
Sargent & Sewell Company, supplies	4.81	
S. G. Adams Co.—bicycle plates	28.82	
Kenmore Supply Company, supplies	14.49	
Railway Express Agency, supplies	10.20	
E. J. Fenton, uniform	69.50	
Erle Cleaners	1.25	
W. S. Darley & Company, supplies	265.52	
Special Police:		
Harold Stephens	14.00	
Chester Waterman	14.00	
Thomas O'Connell	14.00	
Ray Fletcher	14.00	
Henry Grover	8.00	
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	1,954.75	
Bicycle registrations		24.50
Sale of police uniform		25.00
Appropriation		1,600.00
Overdrawn		305.25
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	\$1,954.75	\$1,954.75

Playgrounds

Public Service of N. H.	28.34
Joseph Doucette, caretaker	285.00
Colton Insurance Agency	133.45
Hinsdale Fuel, oil	2.49
Napoleon Hamel, caretaker	510.00
Spencer Brothers	6.75
Jubal Higgins, mowing	48.50
J. W. Field Company	4.12
R. H. Brown Company, pair shears	2.02

Royces Garage	3.34	
Granite State M. M. Company	72.27	
C. E. Bradley Corp., paint	38.12	
William Killhart, labor	46.50	
Floyd Sprague, labor	17.50	
Dorothy Powers, supervisor	245.00	
H. Joyce Ethridge, assistant supervisor	105.00	
H. W. Taylor Company, supplies	494.44*	
Hinsdale Water Works	64.80	
Holden Martin Lumber Company, supplies	2.50	
Bemis Tractor and Implement Co.	2.85	
Bouchies Service Sation	25.74	
Temple Insurance Agency, Fire Insurance	25.00	
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	2,163.73	
* Refund from H. W. Taylor Company		45.00
Rent of Field House		15.00
Appropriation		2,000.00
Overdrawn		103.73
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	\$2,163.73	\$2,163.73

Fire Department

Department Payroll	\$1,886.25
James R. Shea, hose etc.	580.00
N. H. Fire and Safety Equip.	139.45
Charles Blossom, janitor	178.00
Royces Garage, repairs to truck	201.00
Hinsdale Fuel Company	361.11
Hartford Accident and Indemnity Comany	157.50
N. H. Public Service, electricity	323.55
Bouchies Service Station	11.70
Thomas Auto Supply Company	9.67
C. W. Harris, wiring	407.44
Arthur Houle, labor	2.50
Spencer Brothers	94.25
A. F. Roberts Company	12.16
George Jones, insurance	111.80

Brulin & Co., Inc.	23.00	
Peter Zavorotny, printing	18.50	
Frederick A. Farrar, repair siren	50.00	
Colton Insurance Agency, old fire station	126.34	
New England Telephone and Telegraph	186.45	
Temple Insurance Agency	152.64	
Dexter Royce, Charles Blossom Account	62.00	
Grantham Fire	595.50	
Monadnock Fire	181.50	
H. P. Welch, transportation	2.10	
Tri-State Vacuum Company	77.50	
H. T. Hydrant Wrench Co.	31.50	
Paper Service Company	15.97	
G. L. Merrion, supplies	11.75	
Hinsdale Water Works	22.50	
Floyd Sprague, seeding lawn	12.95	
H. W. Taylor, supplies	42.24	
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Total Expenditures	\$6,088.82	
Reimbursement Mt. Monadnock Fire		181.50
Reimbursement Grantham Fire, 40%		238.20
Refund, old fire house insurance policies		57.49
Appropriation		4,500.00
Overdrawn		1,111.63
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	\$6,088.82	\$6,088.82

Sale of Old Fire House

To the Wantastiquet Grange	240.00
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Cemeteries

		* OASI & withholding
Earle L. Williams, sexton	\$2,056.08	\$223.92
Floyd Sprague, labor	260.44	15.06
William Killhart, labor	316.35	55.65
Charles Parenchuck, labor	5.00	
John Duggan, mowing machine	6.00	
Orson Smith, perpetual care Oak Grove Terrace Gardens	80.54	
Neil Atkins, air compressor	99.50	
Power Lawn Mower Service, supplies	10.00	
Holden Martin Lumber Co., cement	8.43	
J. A. Orr Co., supplies	10.69	
Robert Dunklee & Son, sharpening mowers and supplies	22.02	
R. H. Brown & Co., lawn mower	76.92	
Royce's Garage, labor & supplies	32.85	
H. W. Taylor Hardware Co., fertilizer and supplies	35.64	
Hinsdale Water Works	95.80	
Keene National Bank	4.20	
Clayton Owen, part of cemetery lot	4.80	
* OASI & withholding tax	20.00	
	294.63	
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	\$3,439.89	
Appropriations		\$1,600.00
Credit—Cemetery Trust Funds		1,208.77
Care of lots, opening graves, refilling fallen graves, foundations for memorials		809.30
Balance	178.18	
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	\$3,618.07	\$3,618.07

ROADS**Winter Maintenance**

Frank P. Mosher, orders	\$8,316.95	
Appropriation		\$6,000.00
Credits		87.20
Overdrawn		2,229.75
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	\$8,316.95	\$8,316.95

Summer Maintenance

Frank P. Mosher, orders	\$9,118.64	
Appropriation		\$7,000.00
Credits		2,044.80
Overdrawn		73.84
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	\$9,118.64	\$9,118.64

Tar

Frank Mosher, orders	5,076.41	
Appropriation		3,500.00
Credits		1,624.75
Balance	48.34	
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	\$5,124.75	\$5,124.75

Gray's Corner

Frank Mosher, orders	658.80	
Appropriation		500.00
Overdrawn		158.80
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	\$658.80	\$658.80

New Fire Station

Basic Contract	\$55,050.58
Ramp and brick face on yard wall	968.00
Change in lights—apparatus room	107.11
Floor hardener	184.50
Sewer connection	159.39
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Total paid contractor	\$56,469.58

Architect's fee	3,395.66	
Engineering fee	475.07	
Insurance	181.50	
Electric hose dryer	632.24	
Meeting room table	28.45	
Venetian blinds	124.80	
60 meeting room chairs	310.20	
Dedication booklet	300.95	
Landscaping	165.00	
Colton Insurance Agency	21.87	
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	\$62,105.32	
Paid in cash this year		\$18,838.46
* Paid in cash per Town Report last year to January 1, 1953		43,266.86
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	\$62,105.32	\$62,105.32
Amount borrowed to date	\$62,000.00	
Overdrawn	105.32	
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	\$62,105.32	\$62,105.32
* Original Contract sum \$55,050.58		
* Authorization to borrow not to exceed		\$65,000.00

Memorial Day

William Kilhart, labor	\$36.00	
George Podmore, bus	5.00	
Terrace Gardens	116.20	
Marion Powers, supplies	4.55	
Peter Zavorotny, printing	8.00	
Robert Brandl, bus	5.00	
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		\$174.75
Appropriation	\$200.00	
Balance		25.25
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	\$200.00	\$200.00

Hinsdale Public Health Nursing Service

Helen S. Doyer, Treasurer

Report as given to Town January 23, 1954 for year from January 1, 1953 to January 1, 1954.

Balance on hand, January 1, 1953	69.72	
Received from service	281.50	\$351.22
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Expenditures Nursing Service

Rent for office and garage	\$80.00	
Telephone	85.83	
Lights	13.64	
Auto expense	114.63	
Supplies	6.96	
Misc.	1.00	
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		302.06
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Balance on hand January 1, 1954		49.16

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Nursing Association and have found them to be correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

RICHARD M. MITCHELL

As of December 31, 1953

MILDRED M. MERRITT

Public Health Nurse

Grais Churchill, nurse	\$2,600.16
Royces Garage	142.97
Telephone and Telegraph	21.03
Orson Smith, rent	90.00
Herman Hudson, garage rent	15.00
Public Service of N. H.	7.73
Mead and Wheeler, supplies	2.25
Total expenditures	2,879.14

Appropriation		\$3,200.00
Balance	320.86	
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	\$3,200.00	\$3,200.00

Health Department

Mable C. Hildreth salary	50.00	
Appropriation		50.00
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	\$50.00	\$50.00

Vital Statistics

Eleanor Smith, recording	\$41.00	
Appropriation		\$60.00
Balance	19.00	
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	\$60.00	\$60.00

Town Poor

Case No. 1	96.68	
“ “ 2	30.00	
“ “ 3	25.00	
“ “ 4	15.00	
“ “ 5	4.28	
“ “ 6	134.12	
“ “ 7	277.26	
“ “ 8	1,985.90	
“ “ 9	11.00	
“ “ 10	5.75	
“ “ 11	255.90	
“ “ 12	48.00	
“ “ 13	25.00	
“ “ 14	87.50	
“ “ 15	187.20	
“ “ 16	2.16	
“ “ 17	158.90	
“ “ 18	10.00	
“ “ 19	185.55	
“ “ 20	130.77	
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		\$3,675.97

Refund Case No. 19	180.00	
Refund from William Wheeler	60.00	
Appropriation	2,000.00	
Overdrawn	1,435.97	
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	\$3,675.97	\$3,675.97

Street Lighting

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$3,479.26	
Appropriation		\$3,200.00
Overdrawn		279.26
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	\$3,479.26	\$3,479.26

Soldiers Aid

No Expenditures		
Appropriation		200.00
Balance	200.00	
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	\$200.00	\$200.00

Garbage and Rubbish Collections

Floyd Sprague, rubbish	\$715.00	
Dominic Mannerino, garbage	865.00	\$1,580.00
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Appropriation	1,600.00	
Balance		20.00
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	\$1,600.00	\$1,600.00

Libraries

Mildred Merritt, treasurer	\$1,000.00	
Luella Streeter, librarian	2,000.40	\$3,000.40
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Appropriation	3,000.00	
Overdrawn	.40	
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	\$3,000.40	\$3,000.40

Monadnock Region

Treasurer	50.00	
Appropriation		50.00
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	\$50.00	\$50.00

Special Markers

Bai Rossi Art Memorials	\$632.00	
Appropriation		300.00
Overdrawn		332.00
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	\$632.00	\$632.00

Taxes Bought by Town**None****Interest**

Second National Bank of Boston		
Water Bonds Interest	\$275.00	
Vermont-Peoples National Bank		
Fire Station Notes	1,050.00	
Winchester National Bank		
Sewer Bond Interest	262.50	\$1,587.50
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Appropriation	1,627.50	
Balance		40.00
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	\$1,627.50	\$1,627.50

Temporary Loan Interest

Winchester National Bank \$50,000		
in anticipation of Taxes	200.00	
Appropriation		50.00
Overdrawn		150.00
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	\$200.00	\$200.00

Paid on Indebtedness

Winchester National Bank		
Sewer Bond	\$5,000.00	

Second National Bank of Boston Water Bonds	\$5,000.00	
Vermont-Peoples National Bank Fire Station	\$5,000.00	
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	\$15,000.00	

Elliot Community Hospital

Contribution to support Appropriation	\$200.00	\$200.00
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	\$200.00	\$200.00

Blister Rust—Moth Control

Chase Tree Service, tree spraying Appropriation	\$100.00	\$100.00
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	\$100.00	\$100.00

Motor Vehicle Permits

Eleanor S. Smith, permits paid for issuing 984 @ 50c Balance	\$492.00 \$6,829.05	\$7,321.05
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	\$7,321.05	\$7,321.05

Damage and Legal Expenses

Howard Lane, deed to Park (Waterbury) Roy Pickard ,	\$7.00 34.00	41.00
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Appropriation Balance	\$100.00	59.00
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	\$100.00	\$100.00

Tax Refunds

Michael Crocker	\$250.00	
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Old Age Assistance

Town share, $\frac{1}{4}$ of total Appropriation Overdrawn	\$3,416.62	\$2,500.00 916.62
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	\$3,416.62	\$3,416.62

County Tax

S. M. Boardman, County Treasurer	\$9,514.28	
Appropriation		\$9,514.28
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	\$9,514.28	\$9,514.28

Schools

J. W. Fields, treasurer	\$91,631.00	
Balance Due Board of Education	45,323.00	
Appropriation 1953 Schools		\$104,060.50
Balance 1952 appropriation		32,893.50
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	\$136,954.00	\$136,954.00

Town Hall Furnace

Disbursements	\$2,947.00	
Appropriation		\$4,000.00
Balance	1,053.00	
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	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00

Veterans' Hall Furnace

Disbursements	\$1,025.00	
Appropriation		\$1,100.00
Balance	75.00	
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	\$1,100.00	\$1,100.00

Old Age Survivors Insurance

Disbursements	\$590.36	
Appropriation		\$350.00
Overdrawn		240.36
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	\$590.36	590.36

200th Anniversary Celebration

Appropriation 1953	\$5,000.00	
Balance 1952 Appropriation	180.40	
Total Receipts 1953	1,353.12	
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		\$6,533.52
Total Expenditures	\$5,075.67	
Balance	1,457.85	
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	\$6,533.52	\$6,533.52

MISCELLANEOUS

Temple Insurance Agency, liability	\$372.82	
Lewis Brown, pictures	10.00	
Edwin Culver, blueprints (Roger Kozyra Road)	3.18	
Sentinel Printing Company (850 Town Reports)	638.19	
(Warrants)	8.30	
Esther G. Bennett, deceased owners	.50	
Winfield Chaplin, register property deeds	25.20	
Greenfield Gazette, advertising fire station	1.67	
George Goodridge, timber tax refund	18.72	
H. W. Taylor, 4 waste cans	120.00	
Boston and Maine R. R., rent for dump	1.74	
Brattleboro Publishing Company, advertising	4.95	
Floyd Sprague, labor (Methodist Church)	13.00	
Grass seed	1.95	
F. J. Amarosa, windows	13.26	
Peter Zavorotny, printing OASI forms	3.00	\$1,236.48
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Appropriation	800.00	
Overdrawn	436.48	
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	\$1,236.48	\$1,236.48

DETAILED REPORT OF ROAD ACTIVITIES**Frank P. Mosher, Road Agent****Winter Maintenance**

Pay Rolls

Frank Mosher	\$866.00
Wm. McAuliffe	900.90
Clayton Hastings	974.40
Frank Cousins	811.20
Harold Reddin	653.40
John Royce	824.10
John Royce, truck	654.00
Herman Hudson	311.20
Nelson Prouty	34.10

John Zywna	45.10	
Henry Barrett	11.00	
		\$6,085.40

Winter**Bills and Equipment—Repair Costs**

Royce Garage, parts, labor, oil		416.55
Keene Sand & Gravel, sand		49.00
Thomas Auto, top repairs—loader		3.50
Spencer Bros., service on sidewalk plow		19.33
F. P. Mosher, expenses—express on parts		2.11
R. C. Hazelton Co., blades and labor		237.75
Perkins-Milton Co., parts for b. dozer		20.02
Arthur Whitcomb, valve		2.50
International Salt Co., salt		536.00
Falton & Co. Express, express on blades		6.16
American Oil Co., gas & oil		188.19
Socony-Vacuum Oil, gas		5.77
Gulf Oil Co., gas & oil		154.58
Brattleboro Auto Top, repairs on curtains		2.00
Granite State Mach. Co., welding		43.70
Robert Dunklee Sons, welding		10.86
Public Service Co., lights		10.65
Hinsdale Fuel Co., fuel oil		90.63
Modern Auto, welding		59.70
Brattleboro Sand & Gravel, sand		295.01
Hinsdale Water Works, water		6.00
Miscellaneous		71.54
		\$2,231.55
		\$8,316.95
Appropriations	\$6,000.00	
Credits*	87.20	
		\$6,087.20
Overdrawn		\$2,229.75

* Itemized

Winter Credits

W. P. Young	\$12.00
William Hogencamp	5.00
Orlando Owen	4.00
John Duggan	6.00
F. A. Durnford	6.00
Robertson Company	44.20
Charles Copeland	10.00
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	\$87.20
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	\$8,316.95

Summer Maintenance

Frank P. Mosher	\$1,639.50
William McAuliffe	1,246.10
Clayton Hastings	1,322.00
Frank C. Cousins	1,116.00
Harold M. Reddin	483.10
John W. Royce	210.30
John W. Royce, truck	631.00
Charles Blossom, Jr.	335.30
Peter Bokum	5.50
Floyd Sprague	8.80
Louis Hodgman	36.00
Joseph Doucette	5.50
Winchester National Bank	3.98
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	7,043.08
Miscellaneous, merchandise and repairs*	2,075.56
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	9,118.64

Summer**(Bills for Merchandise and Repairs)**

Paul Welcome, lumber		44.36
Keene Sand, sand		6.65
William Zavorotny, brick		3.00
Clayton Hastings, trip to Manchester for parts		10.00
Socony Vacuum, oil and zerex		24.44
Casillini-Venable Co., parts for b. dozer		19.38
H. W. Taylor, misc. parts		118.32
R. N. Johnson, repairs on grader		20.10
Dr. Doyle, medical		15.00
Jubal Higgins, gravel		35.00
Winchester Reel, wood		8.00
Cecil Butler, lumber		30.00
Bradley Laboratory, paint		159.67
Hinsdale Fuel Co., fuel oil		29.85
Modern Auto, welding		28.25
Potter Grain, pipe		2.00
R. C. Hazelton Co., steel and repair on loader		130.05
Wilson Garage, pipe		20.00
Royce Garage, repairs and oil		211.75
Brattleboro Sand & Gravel Co., sand		19.08
Gulf Oil Co., oil and gas		257.27
American Oil Co., oil and gas		436.21
Public Service, electricity		10.72
George Lawrence, lumber		95.72
Arthur Butler, gravel		130.00
Lake Asphalt, hot top		52.58
Hinsdale Water Works, water		6.00
Miscellaneous		<u>152.16</u>
		\$2,075.56
Appropriations	7,000.00	
Credits*	<u>2,044.80</u>	
		<u>9,044.80</u>
Overdrawn		<u>73.84</u>
		9,118.64

* Itemized

Credits—Summer Account

Bernard O'Connor	8.00
State of N. H.	407.00
Victor Lindholm	5.00
John Beruk	6.00
Harry Bell	50.00
Rouillard & Son	33.00
Lou Kleinberger	12.00
John Sanderson	10.00
W. S. Howe	25.00
Ralph Mack	70.00
Richard Butler	20.00
Ralph Smalley	20.00
Dexter Royce	425.00
Harold Garfield	50.00
Clarence O'Neal	93.80
R. E. Bradbury	150.00
Maude Duggan	82.80
Wm. Stetson, Jr.	75.00
Eloise Streeter	30.00
Wm. Zavorotny	15.00
Methodist Church	200.00
Lawrence Boyer	5.00
Orson Smith	37.50
C. B. O'Neal	142.50
A. G. Krumenaker	25.00
Ralph Mack	25.00
Frank Davis	10.00
E. L. Nolin	5.00
James Rash	7.00
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	\$2,044.80

Tar Account

Payroll and Bills :		
Frank Mosher	346.01	
Wm. McAuliffe	170.60	
Clayton Hastings	140.40	
F. Cousins	80.40	
H. Reddin	171.60	
C. Blossom, Jr.	83.60	
J. Royce	92.00	
J. Royce, truck	565.00	
F. Sprague	29.70	
American Oil	63.00	
Potter Grain	3.90	
Dr. Doyle	10.00	
Hinsdale Fuel Co.	7.10	
Gulf Oil	37.50	
Socony Oil	8.99	
Royce Garage	50.50	
Esso	8.44	
State of Vermont	81.83	
Brattleboro Sand	399.40	
Keene Sand	64.60	
Lake Asphalt	2,588.39	
Miscellaneous	73.45	
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Appropriation	3,500.00	
Credits*	1,624.75	
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Balance		48.34
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	\$5,124.75	\$5,124.75

Tar Credits

Harold Garfield	125.00
Russell Garfield	100.00
Francis Stetson	35.00
John Beruk	65.00
W. S. Howe	150.00
F. A. Durnford	100.00
John Duggan	100.00
Cecil Butler	100.00
George Jones	40.00
Elizabeth Fisher	35.00
Alton Stephens	20.00
Frank Sikoski	50.00
E. F. Coons	12.00
Harlow Meade	12.00
Clarence O'Neal	50.00
Russell O'Neal	60.00
Francis Duggan	30.00
John Norton	75.00
School Dept.	125.00
W. S. Kimball	25.00
Edward Plantier	15.00
Edward Majer	12.00
Ralph Wood	5.00
Water Dept.	50.00
Lake Asphalt'	4.00
Orlando Owen	25.00
Mike Wasyluk	25.00
Eldon Sargeant	18.75
Lillian Ellis	30.00
Frank Young	10.00
Charles Sumner	10.00
Mike Malicki	20.00
Dexter Royce	75.00
Anna Mosher	20.00
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	1,628.75
Less refund on purchase of tar	4.00
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	\$1,624.75

Weekly Deductions from Payrolls

Withholding tax	\$950.50	
O. A. S. I. (S.S.)		217.44
Paid to Roger Holland, Treas.		

Gray's Corner (Plain Road)

Payrolls and Bills :

Frank P. Mosher	\$109.50	
Wm. McAuliffe	80.30	
Clayton Hastings	91.30	
Harold M. Reddin	69.90	
John W. Royce	82.00	
John W. Royce, truck	30.00	
Louis Hodgman	6.00	
Arthur Whitcomb	189.80	\$658.80
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Appropriation	500.00	
Overdrawn	158.80	
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	\$658.80	\$658.80

Town Road Aid Account

Paid by the Town :

Frank Mosher	\$286.50	
Wm. McAuliffe	176.00	
Clayton Hastings	192.00	
Harold Reddin	167.20	
Frank Cousins	28.80	
John Royce	158.40	
John Royce, truck	220.00	
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		\$1,228.90
Town Appropriation	348.83	
State Town Road Aid	880.07	
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	\$1,228.90	\$1,228.90

REPORT OF THE HINSDALE BICENTENNIAL

The Hinsdale bicentennial held September 5th, 6th and 7th, 1953 was acclaimed a great success, which was largely due to the co-operation and efforts of many; especially the hard working members of the sub committees.

The general bicentennial committee thanks everyone who rendered any service whatsoever to make the celebration a success. We especially wish to commend Mr. Donald H. Martin of Exeter, N. H. for his able supervision.

RICHARD ROUILLARD
ROSETTA B. LOWE
SUSAN HOLLAND
FRANCIS MASON
PRENTISS W. TAYLOR

BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE

Financial Report of Bicentennial Committee for Years 1951-1952-1953 Town of Hinsdale, N. H. Expenditures

Donald H. Martin of Domar Co., Contract	\$1,800.00
Sunday, Sept. '6th Expenses :	
York Cafe, dinners for Army Band	50.35
Congregational Church	25.00
St. Joseph's Church	25.00
North Hinsdale Community Church	25.00
Exhibit Expenses :	
Temple Insurance Agency	50.00
Hinsdale Press	9.50
R. L. Tyler	.90
Publicity & Advertising :	
Hinsdale Press, letter heads, envelopes, etc. paid 1952	19.60
Hinsdale Press, printing paid in 1953	46.00
Holden & Martin, material for road signs	13.85

H. W. Taylor Co., material for road signs	13.81
Mildred Merritt, postage	34.00
A. B. Calendar Co., auto bumper signs	65.00
A. W. Merrill, drawings for banners	20.00
Richard Rouillard paid C. H. Bailey for signs	10.80
Reception & Registration :	
Hinsdale Press, posters	6.40
The Vermont Printing Co., name tags	62.20
G. H. Tilden Co., guest book, pens, pencils, etc.	14.24
The Casey Press, tags	27.50
C. D. Stearns, pictures for guests	4.00
Parade Expenses :	
Keene City Band	\$150.00
Saint Mary's Cavaliers, bugle corps	170.00
Thayer High School, Winchester Band	50.00
New England Kurn Hattin Homes, Inc., band	50.00
The American Legion Orange Post No. 172, Drum & Bugle Corps	100.00
Millers Falls Bugle & Drum Corps	125.00
Harold Bernier, telephone calls	4.80
Mike Bolden paid to Fred Farosell for signs	8.00
Theodore Hodgson, treas. Old Car Association	25.00
Wantastiquet Grange No. 133, float	25.00
Rebekahs, float	20.00
North Hinsdale, float	18.36
Naomi Chapter No. 36 O.E.S., float	8.00
R. L. Howe "The Spirit of 1776"	10.00
Girl Scouts, float	8.26
Class of 1953, float	10.35
American Legion, float	20.25
Veterans of Foreign Wars, float	10.15
Hinsdale Water Dept., float	22.95
Selectmen of Hinsdale, float	14.45
Donald M. Martin trucking stage coach	10.00
Donald H. Martin, extra costumes & equipment	37.50
Entertainment :	
Atlas Fire Works	550.00
Monadnock Dancers	45.00
James M. Ross	80.00

Highland Chair & Service Co.	30.00
Committee Expenses :	
Rosetta Lowe, mileage & postage	19.56
Police & Health Protection :	
Grais Churchill, nurse	7.00
Albert Copps, Keene police officer	15.00
Gordon Phillips, Keene police officer	15.00
Michael Carbone, Keene police officer	15.00
Edward Dunklee, Brattleboro police officer	15.00
Frank Dermandy, Brattleboro police officer	15.00
Robert Lawless, Brattleboro police officer	15.00
Cortland Putnam, Winchester police officer	10.00
Alec Grenda, Winchester police officer	15.00
Bouchie's Restaurant, meals for police	8.75
Hinsdale Paid Special Police :	
Chester Waterman	34.00
Harold Stephens	38.00
H. Grover	26.00
Miss Hinsdale Contest :	
A. W. Merrill, drawing	2.00
Hinsdale Press	16.00
Mike Bolden, postage	12.00
Donald H. Martin, trophy cups	13.50
Bicentennial Ball :	
Alan Kendall, orchestra	95.00
Decorations :	
R. L. Tyler	1.38
H. W. Taylor Co.	1.74
Donald H. Martin, replacement of flood lights	22.40
Public Service Co. of N. H., electricity	9.21
Programmes :	
Sentinel Printing Co.	419.00
Barbecue :	
Donald H. Martin, advance guarantee payment (This amount is refunded as shown in receipts)	250.00
Donald H. Martin, complimentary tickets	57.25
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	\$5,074.01

Receipts

Donald H. Martin, refund for guarantee payment	\$250.00
Bernard O'Connor, Bicentennial Ball	303.45
Eleanor Stearns, Pony ride concession	10.00
Ice Cream concession	10.00
Refreshments	390.73
Hattie Greenwood, souvenirs & newspapers	30.94
Susan Holland, programmes	358.00
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Total Receipts	\$1,353.12
Total expenditures 1951, 1952, 1953	\$5,074.01
Total receipts	1,353.12
Net cost	\$3,720.89
Unexpended balance	1,479.11
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Appropriated	\$5,200.00
Bill received after January 1, 1954	
Hinsdale Press	\$46.50

REPORT OF THE HINSDALE PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE

The Playground and buildings were put in excellent shape early in the spring for the coming season. All necessary repairs and painting being done. The swimming pool was painted with a new type sealer paint.

Mr. Napoleon Hamel was hired as caretaker for the year. Mrs. Dorothy Powers was engaged as supervisor and Miss Joyce Ethridge as her assistant for the summer. Daily supervision was held until a slight polio epidemic necessitated the closing of the pool and the playground was closed for groups.

During the year toilets were installed in the bath house and later on in the season electric lights were also installed in time for the bi-centennial celebration.

A new popcorn machine was purchased during the year to replace the old machine that was completely worn out.

The usual "Night before the Fourth Celebration" was held under favorable conditions. A large crowd attended this event. The net proceeds for the night were \$547.10. The committee wishes to thank all who helped make this annual affair a success. All those who worked on the various booths and those who assisted in any other way.

The playgrounds were extensively used during the year by various organizations and clubs. The Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts both used the field house for some of their summer meetings. A crowning success was the bi-centennial celebration, held for two days on the grounds. Many class re-unions were held and also many other events fresh in the minds of everyone. Many favorable comments were made on the layout of the field by visiting officials, including the Governor of the state and other people who had not seen the grounds before.

Early in the summer the swimming pool was inspected by the State Board of Health at various times. Before another swimming season starts a chlorinator must be installed on the pool and kept in operation while the pool is in use. To comply with the state regulations this must be done.

The grounds were also used by the schools for their outdoor athletic events.

The committee would still like to see a town ball team use the large diamond during the summer. We are willing to financially assist any responsible person who will undertake this project.

Before another season starts the mowers on the tractor will need replacing. The committee recommends a much heavier mower than is now being used. These mowers have been used for four years and have been repaired constantly during the past year.

We wish to thank Mr. George Podmore for his gift of a player piano to the playgrounds. The children spent many hours enjoying the music. Also to thank Mr. Thomas O'Connell for his gift of a refrigerator.

We also wish to thank all the other town officials for their co-operation and help and also all the other people who have helped in various ways to make our playground a success.

Respectfully submitted,

The Playground Committee

BERNARD E. O'CONNOR

EDWARD J. DUBRISKI

CHARLES N. PARDEE

HARLEY SHELDON

MICHAEL BOLDEN

SPECIAL PLAYGROUND ACCOUNT

Balance on hand 1/1/53	\$1,240.76	
Proceeds from the 4th of July Celebration (deposited)	1,608.10	
Deposited 9/14/53 (Refund from Supervisor)	10.34	
Cash on hand	29.20	
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Total Cash and deposited in bank		2,888.40
Expenses		
4th of July Celebration		
Beano license	10.00	
Cash for change	500.00	

Pop corn machine and supplies	298.77	
Freight (adv. whip & corn mach.)	8.22	
Fireworks	275.00	
Public Service Co.	4.04	
Printing	9.50	
Advertising (papers)	20.12	
Supplies (Tyler)	121.62	
Advance Whip (Merch)	287.57	
Freight	1.96	
Cott soda	24.20	
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Total expenses 4th celebration		1,561.00
Expenses for year		
New check book	3.94	
Books & crayons (Bakers)	7.49	
Soda for field house	10.60	
Ice & supplies	5.00	
R. H. Brown, supplies	4.94	
Campbell-Greene & Co., supplies	15.26	
Clapps, supplies	2.88	
D. Powers, supplies	6.75	
Crystal Ice & Fuel Co.	3.10	
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Total expenses for year	69.96	1,630.96
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Balance on hand and in bank		1,257.44
Less cash on hand		29.20
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Balance as per 1/1/54		1,228.24

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Playground Account and have found them to be correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

RICHARD M. MITCHELL

As of December 31, 1953

MILDRED M. MERRITT

HINSDALE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

The activity within the department has been more normal this past year, than for some time previous. Except for the increased activity during the dry spells this last summer, operations have been routine. It was most encouraging for me to be able to report to the Commissioners that at the height of the dry spell the water at Kilburn Pond was somewhat more than 6 feet over the outlet gate. Our only difficulty arose from our being required to operate the plant for 24 hours for several days. This is an excessive amount of time over the rated capacity of the plant. We were pleased, however, to be able to reduce operations after asking Townspeople to limit their use of water. Once again it is necessary to state that some persons are still permitting water to run freely during the cold spells but we hope that it will not be necessary for us to take any action to eliminate this practice.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. HARRIS

Superintendent

REPORT OF INVESTIGATION OF POSSIBILITIES OF DEVELOPING A WELL IN NORTH HINSDALE TO SUPPLEMENT TOWN SYSTEM AND ALSO TO SUPPLY NORTH HINSDALE

In accordance with Article 13 of the 1953 Town Warrant a committee, composed of the undersigned, was appointed. On April 13, 1953 the first meeting was held and Mr. David was elected chairman. Since that time we have held several meetings with representatives of engineering firms and the New Hampshire Department of Health; and to discuss correspondence from various sources of information on wells and water systems.

It was found to be difficult to obtain, free of charge, detailed engineering information. However, the committee was able to obtain, without obligation, a preliminary survey of the situation, from the firm of Barker and Wheeler, of Albany, New York.

Their report has covered the possibility of developing a gravel packed well in the North Hinsdale area, together with estimated costs for a distribution system. Their estimate is set at \$200,000.00, which price includes the well, pumps, standpipe, mains and fees. Additional information from other sources adds an approximate \$50,000.00 to connect a North Hinsdale system with the present town lines.

The entire project, as outlined above, is based on the assumption that an adequate and acceptable supply of water could be found. Without test borings being made there is not any real definite method of making such a determination. Therefore, we feel that test borings must be made before proceeding further.

At the time that we received the estimate we discussed the feasibility of extending the present system. One reason for this being that the amount and availability of water is a known factor in this instance, whereas a new source would be based on an unknown supply.

Therefore, we are of the opinion that an engineering report should be made, regarding the enlarging of the present system by the inclusion of an additional filter; the adding of a secondary main along the Chesterfield Road; the erection of a second standpipe; and then extension to North Hinsdale.

If the above recommendations are found to be acceptable we suggest that the sum of \$2,000.00 be appropriated for the purpose of having test borings made and having an engineers survey prepared. Then full consideration can be given to the project that would be in the best interests of the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

C. S. BREWER
(New England Power Co.)

T. H. DAVID
Chairman

RUSSELL GARFIELD
HAROLD C. HOLLAND
CLIFFORD D. STEARNS

LEO GRATTON, SR.
EDWARD J. McCORMICK
RUSSELL STREETER

HINSDALE FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Board of Engineers Submit the Following Report

13 General Alarms

Jan. 5 State Patrol House
Jan. 11 False Alarm
Jan. 28 Oskis in Smith Block
Feb. 11 Grass Fire
Feb. 14 Grass Fire
April 4 Grass Fire
April 30 Grass Fire
May 29 Lamb Block
Sept. 10 Grass Fire
Sept. 15 False Alarm
Sept. 22 Smith Block
Oct. 24 Joe Bells place, leaves in back of house.
Oct. 26 False Alarm

Respectfully submitted,

DEXTER ROYCE, Chief
PETER ZAVOROTNY, 1st Asst. Engineer
MARK CHAMBERLAIN, 2nd Asst. Engineer
JOHN ROYCE, 3rd Asst. Engineer
RAY FLETCHER, 4th Asst. Engineer

1953 PAYROLL
HINSDALE FIRE DEPARTMENT

	Salary	Ex. Time	Total	Soc. Sec.	Net
Dexter Royce	\$150.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 3.75	\$ 246.25
Frank Walker	10.00	—	10.00	.15	9.85
Peter Zavorotny	40.00	30.00	70.00	1.05	68.95
Mark Chamberlain	40.00	30.00	70.00	1.05	68.95
John Royce	40.00	34.50	74.50	1.12	73.38
Ray Fletcher	36.00	33.25	69.25	1.04	68.21
Kenneth Brooks	22.00	32.50	54.50	.82	53.68
Walter Baronoski	22.00	30.00	52.00	.78	51.22
Thomas O'Connell	24.00	21.25	45.25	.68	44.57
Verne Varno	2.00	23.75	25.75	.39	25.36
Steve Kolodziej	18.00	15.00	33.00	.50	32.50
Homer Worden	22.00	21.25	43.25	.65	42.60
Richard Merrill	18.00	26.25	44.25	.66	43.59
Raymond Bolden	14.00	15.00	29.00	.44	28.56
Clayton Gamash	10.00	16.25	26.25	.40	25.85
Harold Stephens, Jr.	12.00	13.75	25.75	.39	25.36
Wesley Ryan	14.00	17.50	31.50	.47	31.03
Guy Bouchie, Jr.	12.00	42.50	54.50	.82	53.68
Leonard Waters	6.00	18.75	24.75	.37	24.38
Chester Waterman	22.00	25.00	47.00	.71	46.29
Arthur Roberts, Jr.	18.00	83.75	101.75	1.53	100.22
Edmund Bousquet	22.00	12.50	34.50	.52	33.98
Francis O'Connor	16.00	27.50	43.50	.65	42.85
Clarence Howe	22.00	31.25	53.25	.80	52.45
Robert Brandl	22.00	65.00	87.00	1.31	85.69
Raymond Walker	8.00	15.00	23.00	.35	22.65
Donald Fowler	10.00	8.75	18.75	.28	18.47
Marcellus Howe	20.00	37.50	57.50	.86	56.64
Arthur Bouchie, Jr.	18.00	21.25	39.25	.59	38.66
Charles Blossom	16.00	57.00	73.00	1.10	71.90
George Podmore,	24.00	57.50	81.50	1.22	80.28
Sidney Smith	12.00	5.00	17.00	.26	16.74
Robert Marshall	20.00	35.00	55.00	.83	54.17
Harold Stephens, Sr.	22.00	38.75	60.75	.91	59.84
Peter Zavorotny, treas.	12.00	7.50	19.50	.29	19.21
Totals	\$814.00	\$1,072.25	\$1,886.25	\$28.35	\$1,857.90

Respectfully submitted,

PETER ZAVOROTNY,
Treasurer

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Summary of Warrant Property, Poll and Yield Taxes Levy of 1953

DR.

Taxes committed to collector :	
Property taxes	\$188,305.11.
Poll taxes	1,734.00
National Bank Stock taxes	4.12
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Total warrant	\$190,043.23
Timber yield taxes	284.07
Added taxes :	
Property taxes	614.30
Poll taxes	68.00
Bank taxes	7.88
Interest collected	3.64
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Total Debits	\$191,092.12

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer :	
Property taxes	\$181,748.92
Poll taxes	1,518.00
National Bank Stock taxes	83.00
Timber yield taxes	284.07
Interest collected	3.64
Discount allowed	4,873.96
Abated by Selectmen :	
Property taxes	302.56
Poll taxes	112.00
Uncollected taxes as collectors book :	
Property taxes	1,945.34
Poll taxes	162.00

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1954 for :

Property taxes	48.63
Poll taxes	10.00

Total credits	<u>\$191,092.12</u>
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Respectfully submitted,

WANDELL A. GOVE

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Tax Collector and have found them to be correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

RICHARD M. MITCHELL

As of Dec. 31, 1953

MILDRED M. MERRITT

Summary of Warrant Property, Poll and Yield Taxes Levy of 1952

DR.

Taxes committed to collector :

Property taxes	\$2,127.36
Poll taxes	194.00
Yield taxes	207.00

Total warrant	<u>\$2,528.36</u>
Interest collected	50.50
	<u>\$2,578.86</u>

CR.

Remittances to treasurer :

Credit end of 1952	\$9.95
Property taxes	2,024.36
Poll taxes	190.00

Timber yield taxes	207.00
Interest collected	43.28
Abatements	4.00
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1954:	
Property	85.65
Interest	7.22
Uncollected property	7.40
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Total credits	\$2,578.86

Levy of 1951

Poll tax remitted to treasurer	\$2.00
Interest	.20
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	\$2.20

Levy of 1950

Poll tax remitted to treasurer	\$2.00
Interest	.24
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	\$2.24

Levy of 1949

Redeemed poll tax to treasurer	\$2.00
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Respectfully submitted,

WANDELL A. GOVE

**Summary of Warrant
State Head Tax
Levy of 1953**

DR.

State head taxes committed to collector in original warrant	\$5,405.00
Added taxes	140.00
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Total commitment	\$5,545.00
Penalties collected since Jan. 1, 1953	24.50
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Total debits	\$5,569.50

CR.

Remittances to treasurer : head tax	\$4,815.00
Penalties	24.50
Abatements by Selectmen	225.00
Uncollected as per collector's books to be collected plus penalty	505.00
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Total credits	\$5,569.50

Respectfully submitted,

WANDELL A. GOVE

**Summary of Warrant
State Head Tax
Levy of 1952**

DR.

State head taxes committed to collector	\$615.00
Penalties collected	53.00
One head tax and penalty redeemed	5.50
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Total debits	\$673.50

CR.

Remittances to treasurer : head tax	\$615.00
Penalties	53.50
Uncollected as collector's books	5.00
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Total credits	\$673.50
Head tax collected for 1951	\$5.00
Penalty for same	2.00
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Total to treasurer for 1951 head tax	\$7.00

Respectfully submitted,

WANDELL A. GOVE

Summary of Tax Sales Account—as of Dec. 31, 1953

DR.			
	1949	1951	1952
Balance of Unredeemed taxes Jan. 1, 1953	\$26.08	\$169.71	\$467.58
Interest and costs	2.13	8.44	3.91
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Total debits	\$28.21	\$178.15	\$471.49
CR.			
Remittances to treasurer in 1953:	\$28.21	\$178.15	\$ 39.09
Unredeemed taxes at close of year 1953	None	None	\$432.40
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Total credits	\$28.21	\$178.15	\$471.49
Unredeemed taxes from tax sales on account of levy of			1952
Robert LaChance			\$432.40

**Summary of Timber Tax Warrant
Levy of 1953
All Collected**

DR.	
Cecil Butler	\$154.20
Napoleon Hamel	11.50
Fred Holbrook	43.75
O. W. Howe	14.00
Joseph Kelly	60.62
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	\$284.07
CR.	
Remitted to treasurer	\$284.07

I wish to thank the taxpayers, treasurer, auditors, printers, selectmen, postal employees, and all the banking institutions who have helped me in the collection of taxes during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

WANDELL A. GOVE

Tax Collector

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Paid town treasurer :

1952-53 permits issued, 38	29.00
1953-54 permits issued, 946	\$7,292.05
	\$7,321.05
Total paid treasurer of auto permits	\$7,321.05

Audited as of Dec. 31, 1953

RICHARD M. MITCHELL
MILDRED M. MERRITT

Filing Fees

Town meeting—filing fees	11.00	
Paid town treasurer		\$11.00

OWNERS OF DOGS LICENSED FOR 1953

Barrett, Florence E.	2.00	Ebbighausen, Robert	2.50
Barrett, Hazel	2.00	Ebbighausen, Robert	2.50
Bartou, Rosamond	2.00	Fales, Linda	2.00
Barton, Rosamond	5.00	Farrell, Harry	2.00
Bell, Harry	2.00	Field, Agnes C.	2.50
Bernier, Harold	2.00	Field, Agnes C.	2.00
Bieniek, John	2.00	Field, Agnes C.	2.00
Blodgett, Jerome	2.50	Field, Agnes C.	2.00
Blossom, Beth	2.00	Field, Mr. & Mrs. E. E. Jr.	2.00
Blouin, Nelson	2.00	Field, Mr. & Mrs. E. E. Jr.	5.00
Bokum, Peter Jr.	2.00	Field, Everett E. Sr.	2.00
Bomba, Michael	2.50	Field, Richard	5.00
Bosely, Charles	2.00	Fowler, Richard	2.00
Bouchie, Albert	2.00	Garfield, Debra	2.50
Bouchie, Stephen	2.00	Gauthier, Diane	2.00
Bednarski, Antoni	2.00	Gilson, Fay	2.00
Bombay, Julia	2.50	Golden, Marv Eliz.	2.00
Boyd, Nellie	2.00	Gove, Pearl	2.00
Brown, Byron	2.50	Gratton, Leo	2.00
Brown, Byron	2.50	Green, Warren I.	2.00
Buckley, Prescott	2.00	Grover, Joseph	2.00
Buraczynski, Mary	2.00	Grover, Lois	2.50
Burbeck, Marguerite	2.00	Hale, Walter	2.00
Burdo, Alton	2.00	Hammond, Katherine	2.00
Burnett, Philip	2.00	Harvey, Pearly	2.00
Burnett, Philip	2.00	Hastings, Alice	2.00
Butler, Ernest	2.00	Hastings, Geo. N. Sr.	2.00
Butler, Ernest	2.00	Hastings, Geo. N. Sr.	2.00
Butler, Ernest	2.50	Higgins, Bertha	2.00
Butler, Eugene	2.00	Higgins, Glen F.	13.00
Capen, Harry N.	2.00	Hogencamp, William	2.00
Chalfant, Gail	2.00	Holbrook, Royal	2.00
Chamberlin, Paul V.	2.00	Holman, Dana	2.00
Clark, Earl	2.00	Hood, Rev. Howard	2.00
Clark, Ronald	2.00	Howe, Charles	2.00
Colson, Nellie	2.00	Howe, Lorraine	2.50
Coty, Elizabeth	2.00	Howe, Marion	2.00
Cousins, Lois	2.00	Howe, O. W.	2.00
Crosby, Henry	5.00	Howe, W. S. Sr.	2.00
Daniels, Gertrude	2.50	Hudson, Albert	2.00
Daniels, Gertrude	2.50	Jablonski, John	2.00
Dascomb, Walter	2.00	Jaquith, Harold	2.00
David, Barbara	2.00	Jasienowski, Roger Jr.	2.00
David, Warren	2.00	Jennings, Harold L.	2.00
Davis, Frank J.	2.00	Jaquith, Roscoe	2.00
Dixon, Arnold Jr.	5.00	Johnson, Elmer	2.50
Dodge, E. M.	2.00	Kaczan, Rosie	5.00
Dube, Laura	2.50	Kendrick, Fred D. Sr.	2.00
Dubriske, Doris	2.00	Kenney, Robert	2.00
Duggan, John E.	2.00	Kleinberger, Lincoln	2.00
Duggan, John E.	2.00	King, Sandra	2.00
Dunlop, Mrs. Edith	2.00	King, William Jr.	2.00
Dutton, Natalie	2.00	King, William Sr.	5.00
Dwyer, George	2.00	Kolnacki, Andrea	2.50
Dwyer, George	2.00	Kosnoski, Felecia	2.00
Dwyer, George	5.00	Kowal, Walter	2.00

Krumenaker, Mrs. Mabel	2.00	Russell, Earl	2.00
LaChance, Harriet	2.00	Schlattner, Fred	2.50
Larabee, Charles H.	2.00	Schlattner, Martin	2.00
Larabee, Charles H.	2.00	Schlattner, Martin	2.00
Latham, Henry I.	5.50	Shlichting, Daniel	2.00
Lehane, Richard	2.50	Schorling, Gretchen	2.00
Levasseur, Barbara	2.00	Sheldon, Annie	2.00
Lindholm, Mrs. Victor	2.00	Sikoski, Frank	2.00
Lowe, Richard	2.00	Smith, Edwin O.	2.00
McCormick, Edward J.	2.00	Smith, Lee	2.00
McCormick, James N.	4.00	Sprague, Floyd	4.00
McCullough, E. A.	2.00	Sprague, Wayne	2.00
Madigan, M. J.	2.00	Stancifft, Mrs. C. V.	5.00
Mannarino, Dominic	2.00	Stancifft, Clara	2.00
Marshall, Robert F.	2.00	Standclift, Doris	2.00
Miner, Helen	2.00	Stearns, Clifford D.	2.00
Michell, Richard M.	2.00	Stearns, Louis N.	2.00
Mieczko, Monica	2.00	Stearns, Sidney W.	2.00
Mosher, Anna F.	2.00	Stephens, Douglas & Peter	2.00
Newell, Herbert K.	5.00	Stetson, Francis	2.00
Nichols, Bertha	2.00	Streeter, Mrs. H. I.	2.00
O'Connell, Gloria	2.00	Taft, Nathan	2.00
O'Neal, Clarence B.	2.00	Taylor, Prentiss W.	2.00
O'Neill, David	2.00	Thereault, Victory	2.00
Oski, William J.	2.00	Tiedman, Wesley & Mina	2.00
Owen, Clayton A.	2.00	Tkaczyk, Russell	2.00
Parenchuck, Charles	2.00	Towne, George	2.00
Pavao, Arthur	2.00	Tucker, Julius	2.50
Pawelczyk, Anthony	2.00	Tuoviene, Abel	2.00
Pelis, Mary	2.50	Turner, Clarence	2.00
Perham, Holland	2.00	VanWormer, Frank A.	2.00
Perham, Holland	2.00	Waite, Ronald	2.00
Podmore, George	2.00	Walker, Stella	4.00
Provost, Alice	2.00	Wallace, Harold	2.00
Rash, James	2.00	Wallace, Ralph	2.00
Rideout, Bernard	2.00	Webster, Mrs. Henry	2.00
Roberts, Eliz. B.	5.00	Welch, D. P.	2.00
Roberts, Evelyn	2.00	Whitman, David	2.00
Rosploch, Chas. Jr.	2.50	Willette, Charles	2.00
Rosploch, Chas. Jr.	2.50	Wilkins, William	2.00
Rouillard, Carl	2.00	Wilkins, Elmer Jr.	2.00
Rouillard, Thomas C.	2.00	Young, Arnold	2.00
Roy, Charles	2.00	Young, Kenneth	2.00
Rubeor, Roger	2.00		

193 male dogs @ \$2.00 & \$2.50 each

13 female dogs @ \$5.00 & \$5.50 each

\$463.00

Less fees @ 20 cents each

41.60

Paid town treasurer

\$421.40

Audited as of Dec. 31, 1953

RICHARD M. MITCHELL

MILDRED M. MERRITT

Auditors

REPORT OF THE HINSDALE MUNICIPAL COURT

	Paid to:	Town of	State Motor	State
		Hinsdale, N.H.	Vehicle Dept.	Fish & Game Dept.
Assault:				
Case No. 6—Fine Paid.		\$ 10.00		
Cruel and Abusive Treatment:				
Case No. 3—Case Filed.				
Disposal of Refuse along High- way				
Case No. 42—Fine of \$25.00— Suspended				
Drunk and Disturbing the Peace:				
Case No. 7—Fine Paid.		10.00		
Fugitive from Justice:				
Case No. 29—Respondent re- turned to State of Vermont.				
State Fish & Game Violations:				
Case No. 16—Fine Paid.		6.00		\$ 9.00
36—Fine Paid.		5.50		4.50
37—Fine Paid.		5.50		4.50
38—Fine Paid.		5.50		4.50
39—Fine Paid.		14.50		85.50
40—Fine Paid.		14.50		85.50
41—Fine Paid.		14.50		85.50
47—Fine Paid.		7.00		18.00
48—Case Filed.				
				297.00
Juvenile Court:				
Case No. 21—Settled.				
22—Settled.				
23—Settled.				
State Motor Vehicle Violations:				
Case No. 1—Fine Paid.		12.00	\$ 63.00	
2—Fine Paid.		10.00		
4—Fine Paid.		5.50	4.50	
5—Fine Paid.		6.50	13.50	
8—Fine Paid.		5.50	4.50	
9—Fine Paid.		5.50	4.50	
10—Fine Paid.		7.00	18.00	
11—Fine Paid.		6.00	9.00	
12—Fine Paid.		12.00	63.00	
13—Fine Paid.		7.00	18.00	
14—Fine Paid.		10.00		
15—Fine Paid.		6.00	9.00	
17—Fine Paid.		6.00	9.00	
18—Fine Paid.		6.50	13.50	
19—Fine Paid.		5.00		
20—Fine Paid.		6.00	9.00	
24—Fine Paid.		6.00	9.00	
25—Filed on Officer's recommendation.				

26—Fine Paid.	7.00	18.00
28—Fine Paid.	5.50	4.50
30—Fine Paid.	5.00	
31—Fine Paid.	6.50	13.50
32—Fine Paid.	5.00	
33—Fine Paid.	5.50	4.50
35—Fine Paid.	12.00	63.00
43—Fine Paid.	6.00	9.00
44—Fine Paid.	7.00	18.00
45—Fine Paid.	6.00	9.00
49—Fine Paid.	6.00	9.00
	<u>\$287.00</u>	<u>\$396.00</u>

Non-Support :

Case No. 34—Found Guilty, ordered to pay weekly support, on probation.

Small Claims :

Case No. 46—Settled.

Writs :

Case No. 27—Repossession ordered.

Fees received from other sources	2.40
	<u>\$289.40</u>

Paid to State Motor Vehicle Dep't., Concord, N. H.	\$396.00
Paid to State Fish & Game Dep't., Concord, N. H.	297.00
Paid to Town of Hinsdale, N. H.	<u>289.40</u>

TOTAL :	<u>\$982.40</u>
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Again, I wish to take this opportunity to thank the Local, County and State authorities for their cooperation during this past year, as well as the citizens of the Town of Hinsdale.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD R. WEEKS,

Justice

Municipal Court of Hinsdale

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

The following is my report for the period between January 1, 1953 and December 31, 1953.

No. of cases were :

Non-communicable	615
Communicable	46

Of these were :

Prenatal	2
Infant	18
Pre-school	82
School	437
Adult	100
Tuberculosis, to clinics	21
Crippled children	17
Health services	44
Field visits	1,484
Office visits	100
Cases admitted	233
Cases discharged	231

There were 9 Well Child Clinics held during the first half of the year, with Drs. John N. Houpis, of Brattleboro, and John J. Doyle of Hinsdale, as examining physicians. Of the 21 children who attended this clinic, 10 received their toxoid shots, and 3 received vaccinations.

On April 7th the first Toxoid Clinic, with the assistance of the N. H. State Department of Health, Mrs. Priscilla Putnam, public health nurse of Winchester; was held in the Community Room. There were 3 others on May 5th, June 2nd and June 30th. There were the following who received the toxoid shots, infants, 9, pre-school 47, school 76; 32 children also received vaccinations. Dr. John J. Doyle and Dr. Edmond LaChaine were attending physicians.

My report of school activity follows.

There were 181 days when children received attention during the school year.

The number of children seen at different times in both schools and in the office were 3,636. The number of home visits were 127.

The following cases were :

Mumps	4
Impetigo	4
Pediculosis	27
Pink eye	3
Measles	5
Chicken Pox	1
Ringworm of scalp	1
Tuberculosis, to clinics	11
First Aid	51
To Orthopedic clinics	3

Inspections were made for ringworm of the scalp and pediculosis. 11 children or school personnel attended 3 tuberculosis clinics.

On February 12th, Miss Frances Goodenough, of the State Department of Health Dental Services, started cleaning and giving fluorine treatments to 288 children in the elementary school.

On March 3rd a meeting was held here at the elementary school with Miss Annette Eveleth, head of the school health services, Mr. Lees and other nurses in the district.

On September 10th a talk on health and cleanliness, was given to the 1st and 2nd grades.

In April a talk was given the home economics class on first aid and home nursing, showing the types of equipment usually available for home use.

The annual physical examination of the school children was done after the beginning of school this fall by Dr. Edmond Lachaine. The following defects were found.

Enlarged or diseased tonsils	14
Poor teeth	66
Underweight	?
Overweight	6

Hearing tests were given to 278 children, with 16 having some hearing loss.

Vision tests were given to 275 children with 37 having defective vision.

The school nurses meeting on October 15th was attended.

In October the 1st and 2nd grade were again given the charts on teeth brushing, and general cleanliness, put out by the Bristol-Myers Co.

At the beginning of the school year, there were 20 children without vaccinations, despite the clinic in the spring, when several were done.

I wish to thank all those, who in any way helped with the clinics held during the year, especially the members of the nursing service and the teachers.

Respectfully submitted,

GRAIS E. CHURCHILL, R. N.

LIBRARY REPORT

Hours open per week	23
Total circulation	22,427
Adult fiction	10,344
Adult non-fiction	1,551
Juvenile fiction	6,045
Juvenile non-fiction	3,110
Magazines	1,377
Average daily	73
Percent of fiction	72

The increase in our circulation is due to so many more children using the library each year and is also the reason for the library being crowded at times. We do not have as many older readers in late years but the demand for new books is greater than ever and we feel this is being met as far as finances allow.

There are some unpaid bills for the year which will use up the balance shown on the financial statement. We have hoped to purchase a new large dictionary but it was not published in time to obtain this year.

The children use the library at all times and seldom are ever troublesome. Some use it as a meeting place and for visiting but we can take care of this.

The library has a very dingy appearance and much of the furniture is old and worn but still usable. It should be completely cleaned and redecorated. This would have to be accomplished in the summer months as the pupils need the use of it every day throughout the school year.

The librarian attended a Leader Training Course at Plymouth State Teachers College.

Respectfully submitted,

LUELLA M. C. STREETER
Librarian

REPORT OF TREASURER OF LIBRARY COMMITTEE

	Petty Cash	Amidon Fund	Stearns Bowker Jones	Town Appro- priation	Defense Bond
Jan. 1st 1953					
Amount on hand	\$ 1.00	—	—	85.15	100.00
Rec'd in 1953	144.86	250.00	30.00	1,000.00	2.50
Total	<u>\$145.86</u>	<u>\$250.00</u>	<u>\$30.00</u>	<u>\$1,085.15</u>	<u>\$102.50</u>
Expenditures in 1953	<u>140.86</u>	<u>250.00</u>	<u>30.00</u>	<u>934.90</u>	<u>2.50</u>
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1953	\$ 5.00	—	—	\$ 150.25	\$100.00

Expenditures for 1953

	Town Account	Amidon Account	Stearns- Bowker Jones	Defense Bond
J. S. Wesby Company	\$156.70	\$ 5.86	\$30.00	
Public Service Company of N. H.	61.85			
Brattleboro Publishing Co.	11.00			
R. M. Baker	29.16	43.64		
Moore-Cottrell Co.		67.80		
New England News Co.	555.19			
Popular Mechanics Co.	2.80			
Hadley Company	14.95			
H. R. Hunting Company		132.70		
Gaylord Company	5.25			
Consumer Union	2.50			\$2.50
Van Nostrand Company	11.34			
Colton Insurance Company	52.00			
Children's Book Council	5.65			
Hinsdale Press	4.00			
H. W. Wilson Company	16.80			
Bank Charges	5.71			
	<u>\$934.90</u>	<u>\$250.00</u>	<u>\$30.00</u>	<u>\$2.50</u>

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Library Committee and have found them to be correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

RICHARD M. MITCHELL

As of Dec. 31, 1953

MILDRED M. MERRITT

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

SCHOOL BOARD

of

Hinsdale School District

for

FISCAL YEAR

JULY 1, 1952 — JUNE 30, 1953

OFFICERS, TEACHERS AND EMPLOYEES OF HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT

JASON W. HOLMAN, Moderator
 HANNA H. PIKE, Clerk
 JESSE W. FIELD, Treasurer
 RICHARD W. MITCHELL }
 MILDRED M. MERRITT } Auditors

School Board

EDMUND A. BOUSQUET, Chairman	Term expires 1954
MRS. ROGER STREETER	Term expires 1955
FRANCIS T. O'CONNOR	Term expires 1956

Superintendent of Schools

CHESTER C. LEES

Teachers

Hinsdale High School:

ROBERT A. GIRARDIN, Principal, (Mathematics and Science)
 DORIS B. SMITH (Mrs.), Assistant Principal, (Social Studies and English)
 JOSEPH A. DiMECO, (Industrial Arts)
 HERMAN S. HILL, (Music)
 EDWIN D. BARLOW, (Mathematics and Science)
 GORDON P. JACQUES, (Social Studies)
 JEANNE F. MacKENZIE, (Commercial)
 JANET L. SPEAR, (English, French and Latin)
 DOROTHY J. GLAZIER (Mrs.), (Home Economics)

Hinsdale Elementary School:

ARTHUR G. SCOTT, Jr., Principal, (Grade 6)
 MARY I. SCOTT (Mrs.), (Grade 6)
 MARY C. SIMONDS (Mrs.), (Grades 5-6)
 ISMAY M. CAMPBELL (Mrs.), (Grade 5)
 ROSETTA B. LOWE (Mrs.), (Grade 4)
 MARY COLL, (Grade 3)
 MARION J. POWERS (Mrs.), (Grade 2)
 HELEN G. HILDRETH (Mrs.), (Grade 2)
 GLADYS A. LEES (Mrs.), (Grade 1)
 SHIRLEY I. HOULE (Mrs.), (Grade 1)
 HARRIET B. LaCHANCE (Mrs.), (Kindergarten)

Truant Officer

GEORGE E. PODMORE

Janitors

Elementary School—GEORGE E. PODMORE
 High School—GUY X. BOUCHIE

Transporters

ROBERT A. BRANDL

GEORGE E. PODMORE

School Nurse

GRAIS CHURCHILL, R. N.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SCHOOL WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the School District in the town of Hinsdale qualified to vote in district affairs :

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the sixth day of March, 1954, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects :

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose Agents, Auditors, Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
7. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
8. To see if the district will raise and appropriate the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) for driver education in Hinsdale High School.
9. To see if the district will vote to transfer ownership of the Plains School to the Town of Hinsdale.

Given under our hands at said Hinsdale, this fifteenth day of February, 1954.

EDMUND A. BOUSQUET
MARGARET G. STREETER
FRANCIS T. O'CONNOR

School Board

A true copy of warrant—Attest :

EDMUND A. BOUSQUET
MARGARET G. STREETER
FRANCIS T. O'CONNOR

School Board

HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT**Budget for 1954-1955****EXPENDITURES****Administration:**

Salaries of district officers	\$ 1,000.00
Superintendent's salary (local share)	1,506.00
Tax for state wide supervision	976.00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	1,192.00
Supplies and expenses	900.00

Instruction:

Teachers' salaries, high	21,000.00
Teachers' salaries, elementary	42,000.00
Books and other instruction aids, high	600.00
Books and other instruction aids, elementary	900.00
Scholars' supplies, high	1,300.00
Scholars' supplies, elementary	1,200.00
Salaries of clerical assistants, high	50.00
Other supplies and expenses, high	400.00
Other supplies and expenses, elementary	350.00

Operation of School Plant:

Salaries of janitors, high	900.00
Salaries of janitors, elementary	3,500.00
Fuel or heat, high	500.00
Fuel or heat, elementary	1,900.00
Water, light, supplies and expenses, high	800.00
Water, light, supplies and expenses, elementary	2,000.00

Maintenance of School Plant:

Repairs and replacements, high	800.00
Repairs and replacements, elementary	600.00

Auxiliary Activities:

Health supervision, high	100.00
Health supervision, elementary	150.00
Transportation, high	1,000.00
Transportation, elementary	6,200.00

Special activities, high	200.00
Special activities, elementary	100.00

Fixed Charges:

Retirement, high	1,600.00
Retirement, elementary	3,200.00
Insurance, treasurer's bond and expenses, high	525.00
Insurance, treasurer's bond and expenses, elementary	1,050.00

TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSES	\$98,499.00
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Capital Outlay:

Additions and improvements, high	\$ 250.00
Additions and improvements, elementary	250.00
New equipment, high	900.00
New equipment, elementary	900.00

TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY	\$ 2,300.00
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Debt and Interest:

Principal of debt	10,000.00
Interest on debt	3,125.00

TOTAL DEBT AND INTEREST	\$ 13,125.00
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TOTAL SCHOOL APPROPRIATION	\$113,924.00
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RECEIPTS

Federal Aid	\$ 700.00
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TOTAL RECEIPTS OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES	\$ 700.00
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DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	\$113,224.00
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TOTAL SCHOOL APPROPRIATION	\$113,924.00
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EDMUND A. BOUSQUET
MARGARET G. STREETER
FRANCIS T. O'CONNOR

School Board

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT

For Fiscal Year July 1, 1952—June 30, 1953

RECEIPTS

Federal Aid:

(a) Smith-Hughes and George-Barden	\$ 759.41
(b) National School Lunch	2,026.56

Total	\$ 2,785.97
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State Aid:

(a) Foundation aid	1,282.43
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Local Taxation:

(a) Current appropriation	98,243.50
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Other Sources:

(a) Elementary school tuition	76.95
(b) Secondary school tuition	844.76
(c) Other	107.50

Total	1,029.21
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Total net receipts from all sources	\$103,341.11
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Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1952 :

General fund	961.40
Capital outlay fund	71.64

Total	\$ 1,033.04
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GRAND TOTAL NET RECEIPTS	\$104,374.15
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PAYMENTS

	Total Amount	General Expenses	High School	Elementary School
Administration:				
Salaries of district officers	\$ 960.00		\$ 213.12	\$ 746.88

*Superintendent's salary (local share)	1,278.05	283.73	994.32
Tax for state wide supervision	872.00	197.07	674.93
Salaries of other administrative personnel	1,026.37	227.85	798.52
Supplies and expenses	907.28	201.42	705.86
Instruction:			
Teachers' salaries	51,468.50	17,039.84	34,428.66
Books and other instructional aids	1,519.17	575.92	943.25
Scholars' supplies	2,336.04	1,347.50	988.54
Salaries of clerical assistants	15.50	15.50	
Supplies and other expenses	614.63	325.49	289.14
Operation of School Plant:			
Salaries of janitors	4,345.01	886.82	3,458.19
Fuel or heat	2,409.06	471.56	1,937.50
Water, light, supplies and expenses	2,980.44	880.98	2,099.46
Maintenance of School Plant:			
Repairs and re- placements	1,667.15	783.88	883.27
Auxiliary Activities:			
Health supervision	199.56	44.26	155.30
Transportation	7,056.80	1,068.60	5,988.20
Special activities and special funds	301.43	218.75	82.68
School lunch (federal funds)	2,026.56		2,026.56

	Total Amount	General Expenses	High School	Elementary School
Fixed Charges:				
Retirement	3,320.07		843.58	2,476.49
Insurance, treasurer's bonds and expenses	1,576.03		527.24	1,048.79
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Total net current expenses	\$ 86,879.65		\$26,153.11	\$60,726.54
Capital Outlay:				
Lands and new buildings	9.62			9.62
Additions and im- provements to buildings	596.67		123.25	473.42
New equipment	1,774.58		447.67	1,326.91
Debt and Interest:				
Principal of debt	9,000.00	9,000.00		
Interest on debt	3,587.50	3,587.50		
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Total net payments for all purposes	\$101,848.02	\$12,587.50	\$26,724.03	\$62,536.49
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Cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1953 :				
General fund	2,526.13			
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Grand total	\$104,374.15			
		*Hinsdale		\$1,278.05
		Richmond		99.46
		Swanzy		1,086.58
		Winchester		1,260.91
		State's share		2,275.00
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				\$6,000.00

**Explanation of Difference Between Net (Actual) Expenditures
and Gross Transactions**

RECEIPTS

Total net income plus cash on hand, July 1, 1952	\$104,374.15
Receipts from refunds	455.57
Transfer from building fund	71.64
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Total gross income	\$104,901.36

PAYMENTS

Total net payments plus cash on hand, June 30, 1953	\$104,374.15
Payments refunded	455.57
Transfer from building fund	71.64
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Total gross payments	\$104,901.36

BALANCE SHEET

June 30, 1953

ASSETS

Cash on hand, June 30, 1953	\$ 2,526.13
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Total assets	\$ 2,526.13
Net debt (excess of liabilities over assets)	138,323.83
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Grand total	\$140,849.96

LIABILITIES

Bonds outstanding	\$139,000.00
Amounts reserved for special purposes :	
Fireproofing janitor supply room	300.00
Rewiring school shop	300.00
Additional retirement	520.00
Repairs (insurance)	729.96
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	\$140,849.96
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Grand total	\$140,849.96

STATUS OF SCHOOL BONDS

Bonds outstanding at beginning of year, July 1, 1952	\$148,000.00
Payments on principal	9,000.00
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Bonds outstanding at end of year, June 30, 1953	\$139,000.00

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Hinsdale School District and have found them to be correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

MILDRED M. MERRITT,
R. M. MITCHELL,

Auditors

As of June 30, 1953.

HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Expenditures for 1952-53

Administration:

Salaries of district officers	\$ 960.00
Superintendent's salary (local share)	1,278.05
Tax for state wide supervision	872.00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	1,026.37
Supplies and expenses	907.28

\$ 5,043.70

Instruction:

Teachers' salaries, high	17,039.84
Teachers' salaries, elementary	34,428.66
Books and other instruction aids, high	575.92
Books and other instruction aids, elementary	943.25
Scholars' supplies, high	1,347.50
Scholars' supplies, elementary	988.54
Salaries of clerical assistants, high	15.50
Supplies and other expenses, high	325.49
Supplies and other expenses, elementary	289.14

55,953.84

Operation of School Plant:

Salaries of janitors, high	886.82
Salaries of janitors, elementary	3,458.19
Fuel or heat, high	471.56
Fuel or heat, elementary	1,937.50
Water, light, supplies & expenses, high	880.98
Water, light, supplies & expenses, elementary	2,099.46

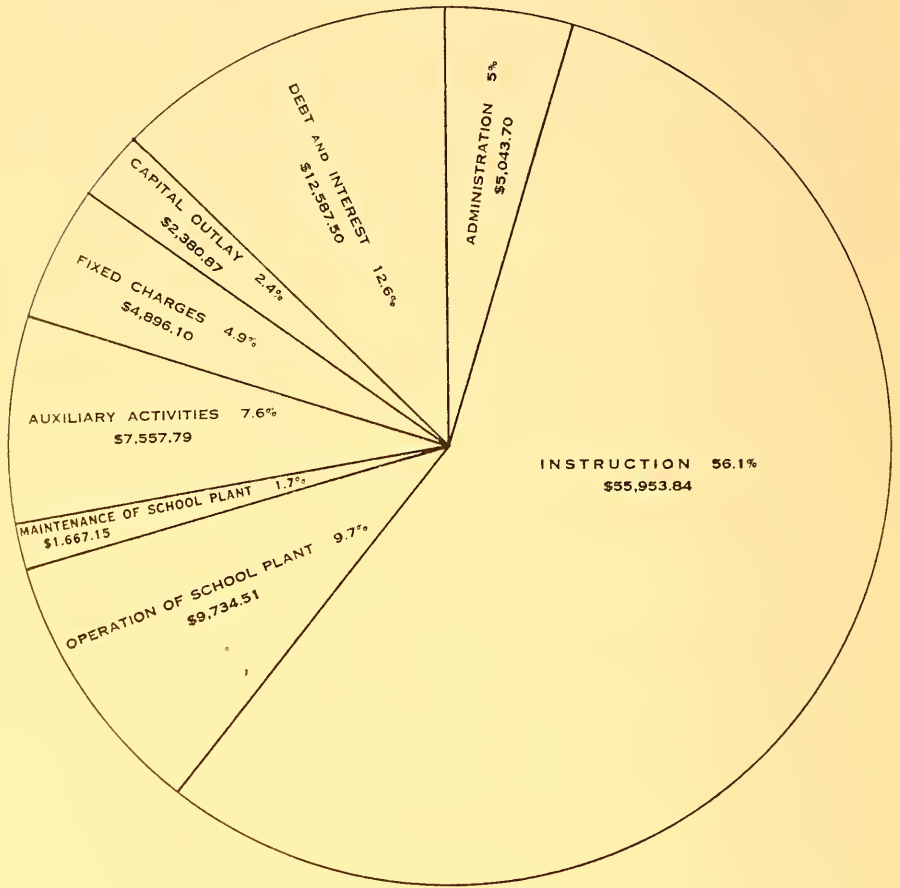
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Maintenance of School Plant:

Repairs and replacements, high	783.88
Repairs and replacements, elementary	883.27

1,667.15

HINSDALE SCHOOL EXPENDITURES 1952-53



TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$99,821.46

Auxiliary Activities:

Health supervision, high	44.26	
Health supervision, elementary	155.30	
Transportation, high	1,068.60	
Transportation, elementary	5,988.20	
Special activities, high	218.75	
Special activities, elementary	82.68	
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		7,557.79

Fixed Charges:

Retirement	3,320.07	
Insurance, treasurer's bond and expenses	1,576.03	
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		4,896.10

Capital Outlay:

Land and new buildings	9.62	
Additions and improvements	596.67	
New equipment	1,774.58	
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		2,380.87

Debt and Interest:

Principal of debt	9,000.00	
Interest on debt	3,587.50	
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		\$12,587.50

Total payments for all purposes		<hr/>
		\$99,821.46

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER
Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1953

Cash on hand, July 1, 1952		\$ 1,033.04
Received from Selectmen :		
Current appropriation	\$98,243.50	
Received from State Treasurer :		
State funds	1,282.43	
Federal funds	2,785.97	
Received from tuitions	921.71	
Received from all other sources	634.71	
Total receipts		\$103,868.32
Total amount available for fiscal year		\$104,901.36
Less school board orders paid		\$102,375.23
Balance on hand, June 30, 1953		\$ 2,526.13

JESSE W. FIELD,

District Treasurer.

July 17, 1953. .

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Hinsdale of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1953, and find them correct in all respects.

MILDRED M. MERRITT,

R. M. MITCHELL,

Auditors

August 4, 1953

HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of Interest and Principal Payments on School Construc-
tion Issue of May 1, 1949, in Original Principal
Amount of \$175,000.00

School Year	Principal	Interest	Total
1953-54	\$ 9,000.00	\$3,362.50	\$12,362.50
1954-55	10,000.00	3,125.00	13,125.00
1955-56	10,000.00	2,875.00	12,875.00
1956-57	10,000.00	2,625.00	12,625.00
1957-58	10,000.00	2,375.00	12,375.00
1958-59	11,000.00	2,112.50	13,112.50
1959-60	11,000.00	1,837.50	12,837.50
1960-61	11,000.00	1,562.50	12,562.50
1961-62	11,000.00	1,287.50	12,287.50
1962-63	12,000.00	1,000.00	13,000.00
1963-64	12,000.00	700.00	12,700.00
1964-65	12,000.00	400.00	12,400.00
1965-66	10,000.00	125.00	10,125.00
	\$139,000.00	\$23,387.50	\$162,387.50

**REPORT ON THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
LUNCH PROGRAM**

The school year 1952-53 was the fourth year in which the Hinsdale School Lunch Program operated. Only type "A" lunches were served. Nearly seventy-five percent of the pupils in grades one through six participated in the program.

The personnel of the program consisted of two persons. Mrs. Doris Foster continued to manage the program throughout the year. Mrs. Roman Tkaczyk assisted Mrs. Foster from September 1952 through February of 1953 at which time she resigned to accept employment elsewhere. Mrs. Madelyn Ammann was employed in March and has worked since that time assisting Mrs. Foster. The program continues to be most fortunate to have such capable workers.

A type "A" lunch consists of; one-half pint of whole milk, two

ounces of protein foods, three-fourths cup of vegetable or fruit or both, one or more portions of bread and two teaspoons of butter or margarine. These minimums are met or bettered in each first serving to the pupils and generally a so-called "second helping" is available for those desiring more.

During the week of January 26-30, 1953 the following menu was served. It is typical of the menus one might find served any week in the lunch program. The menus are on file at the Elementary School.

MONDAY

Spanish Meat Loaf
Mashed potatoes
Fresh Frozen String Beans
Peanut Butter and Jelly Sand-
wiches
Grapes and Mandarin Oranges
Milk

TUESDAY

Beef Noodle Soup with Vege-
tables
Toasted Cheese Sandwiches
Honeyballs
Milk

WEDNESDAY

Ham and Biscuits with Tomato
Sauce
Corn Pickles
Jelly Sandwiches
Tangerines
Milk

THURSDAY

Open-faced Sandwiches—
Broiled
Beets
Black-raspberry Jello with
Whipped Cream
Milk

FRIDAY

Clam Chowder
Egg Salad Sandwiches
Canned Pear Halves
Milk

Again, I would urge those who do not avail themselves of the lunch service to do so.

Under the item new equipment in the following financial report, four hundred dollars was in payment for the lunch program's share of the cost of the dish washing sink which was mentioned in the 1951-52 report. The remaining seven dollars and seventy cents was used to purchase small items of equipment.

Miscellaneous cash contributions came mainly from the Kiwanis Club of Winchester, N.H. The Kiwanis Club contributes five dollars per month during the entire year so that some free lunches may be given to deserving children. The Hinsdale School Lunch Program wishes to express its appreciation to the Kiwanis Club for its contributions.

The following is a summary of the financial report ; June 30, 1952 to June 30, 1953 and was audited August 3, 1953 by R. M. Mitchell and Mildred M. Merritt.

Cash on hand June 30, 1952		\$ 44.94
Receipts		
Cash received from lunches	\$ 8,336.89	
Federal reimbursements from U. S. D. A.	2,398.62	
Miscellaneous cash contributions	96.13	
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Total		\$10,831.64
Total cash on hand and receipts		10,876.58
Disbursements		
Paid for food and milk	\$ 7,408.95	
Paid for labor	2,247.40	
Paid for equipment	407.70	
Other expenditures	385.56	
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Total		\$10,449.61
Cash on hand June 30, 1953		426.97

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR G. SCOTT, JR.,
Principal, Elementary School

January 25, 1954

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE HIGH SCHOOL

To the Superintendent of Schools :

I herewith submit my first annual report as principal of the high school.

It is very gratifying to note that the educational program offered the pupils of this school is equal to any it has been my privilege to be associated with. The educational opportunities offered for a school of this size give ample proof of the alertness of those responsible for the educational welfare of Hinsdale pupils.

Although a majority of our staff is new this year, a more cooperative group of teachers would be difficult to find in any school. It is seldom that one finds teachers so well selected and professionally trained for the specific duties assigned them as is our present group. Such a staff means a far greater return on each tax dollar expended. It is a credit to those members of our teacher group remaining from last year, that a large part of our successful start this year is due to their efforts in aiding and guiding our newer members. It is cooperation such as this that makes Hinsdale a pleasant place in which to work and live.

A purpose of the high school is to adequately provide for the known educational needs of every pupil. Our academic program complies with that established by the State Department as far as our physical facilities permit. This physical limitation has not forced a minimum program offering on our pupils as yet, but I would be remiss in my duties if I did not call attention to the fact that we will very shortly be exceeding the ability of our present environment to adequately carry on the present excellent program. Our community is faced with a serious educational problem in this respect. If the attention given past needs is indicative of Hinsdale's approach to solving educational problems, there is little fear that the community will meet this new responsibility as willingly and intelligently as it has those of the past.

Reporting on departments :

The Visual Aids Department is well equipped to carry out the fundamental needs within this area. The proposed additions by the

P. T. A. will aid in broadening the use of this particular teaching aid and add immeasurably in satisfying an increased need due to a larger enrollment. Many films selected for specific use within the teaching-learning situation have already been used. More films are scheduled for our classes and assemblies.

Text books have been kept up-to-date. Our request for new and additional books is based largely on the increase in pupil numbers and for replacements. This is true in nearly all instances of text requests. We do plan to expand our guidance course and broaden the research areas, thus necessitating some new books. This policy of growth conforms with that already existing, of providing adequately for our pupils' needs.

The shop area is, like others, in need of additional equipment to afford a larger enrollment the same opportunities as are now presented. An expanding of the exploratory area for our Junior High boys is essential and is being planned. Selection of this area of study by older boys will be determined in part by an adequate testing and guidance program.

Our music department is expanding. Through a broadening of instrumental instruction opportunities, instruction on stringed instruments and others of similar importance to an orchestra is being offered throughout the school system. The annual Christmas Concert was more than successful if one can judge by comments heard and the financial return. Proceeds from this concert are being used, in part, for the purchase of much needed instruments. A recent purchase was a Mellophone. This is but one example of the use to which receipts from school sponsored programs are being put. Such expenditures assure future pupils of equal opportunities to participate in our musical program. Several of our pupils have recently participated in an audition for the All-State band. Others are to audition for the All-State chorus. Such opportunities indicate the success the music area is enjoying.

The Home Economics area poses a problem similar to that of other departments, namely one of increased enrollment, especially in the junior high grades. Our requests are again based on the increased pupil load we will have in the coming year. With minor adjustments in arrangement of present equipment and a few additional pieces we will be prepared to handle those who will be taking this work. May I emphasize that the selection of this work by older

pupils will be determined through tests and guidance reports. Under the present program the work is progressing remarkably well.

The Sports Program of the high school is, in a sense, the physical education program found in schools with more modern facilities. We are associated with the Border League, and in basketball, with the King Philip League. Both boys' and girls' teams compete with other schools and receive equal recognition for their successes. This is as it should be and will continue to be the policy of our athletic program. We are more concerned with sportsmanship and character building than in victories, although being human, we do appreciate winning occasionally.

The academic areas are serving the pupils of Hinsdale most admirably. Pupil selection of courses for study are to be performed in the future under close observation. A function of the school is guiding our pupils into those areas where they are most apt to find success and happiness. In doing this we may advocate courses not always approved by parents. Our recommendation will be made on the basis of test results, interest, abilities, and teachers' reports. We will use every educational aid possible in advising youngsters what pursuit to follow. I am confident that parents, when such an arrangement is explained fully, will be more than willing to accept the recommended course of study.

Each pupil in our school was examined physically by the school physician. Dr. LaChaine, with the capable assistance of Miss Churchill, administered these tests early in the year. Knowing early physical defects in the pupil enables us to do a much better job of meeting their educational needs.

Our building is well taken care of by our new custodian. The rooms are well swept each day and the loose papers are disposed of each evening.

Much credit is due the many public spirited citizens who so willingly offered their cars for our use this past fall. Without their help an important part of our program would not have been possible. The bus drivers have been very prompt and courteous in their responsibilities. Their willingness to supply us with the most modern and convenient form of school transportation speaks highly of the cooperative attitude I have found throughout the community. In fact, every agency of the town has been more than cooperative. For this we are very, very grateful.

The financial status of the School Activities Fund as of January 1, 1954, was as follows :

Class of 1954	\$581.73
Class of 1955	994.54
Class of 1956	384.31
Class of 1957	116.29
Class of 1958	63.55
Class of 1959	6.65
Music Fund	280.05
Athletic Fund	251.75
General Fund	126.19

In conclusion, may I express my appreciation to all who have welcomed me so warmly to Hinsdale High School. May I also express my sincere appreciation to teachers, pupils, the School Board and yourself for the excellent cooperation all have given me.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT A. GIRARDIN, Principal

January 22, 1954

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Hinsdale :

I have the honor to submit my seventh annual report.

TEACHERS: In last year's report it was mentioned that the largest turnover in recent years had taken place in our personnel as schools reopened in September, 1952. The opening of schools in September, 1953, witnessed an even more excessive turnover.

High School: After serving as principal of Hinsdale High School for six years, Mr. Leon D. Doyer resigned to accept a position in industry. His many friends in town join in wishing him the greatest of success in his new line of endeavor. He was replaced by Mr. Robert A. Girardin, formerly a teacher in Foxboro, Massachusetts. Mr. Girardin holds both the Bachelor's degree and Master's degree from Boston University.

Upon the resignation of Mrs. Mabel V. Holmes, Miss Janet L. Spear was elected as teacher of English, Latin and French. Miss Spear is a graduate of Keene Teachers College.

Mr. Stanford White resigned as teacher of Industrial Arts to accept a similar position in the high school of New Milford, Connecticut. Mr. Joseph A. DiMeco, a graduate of Keene Teachers College, was elected to the local position.

Mr. William S. McMillan, resigned music supervisor, is now teaching in Brookline, Massachusetts. Mr. Herman S. Hill was elected to replace him. Mr. Hill has studied at the Boston Conservatory of Music, the University of New Hampshire and Keene Teachers College.

Miss Jeanne F. MacKenzie, a graduate of Plymouth Teachers College, was elected as Commercial teacher to succeed Miss Ellen E. McClintock, who resigned to accept a similar position in Contoocook, New Hampshire.

Mrs. Dorothy J. Glazier is the new teacher of Home Economics. Mrs. Glazier is a graduate of Keene Teachers College. She replaces Miss Julia J. Booras who resigned to enter business.

Due to the increased enrollment in the junior high school grades, it was necessary to engage the services of an additional high school teacher. Mr. Gordon P. Jacques, a graduate of Keene Teachers College, was elected to this position.

Elementary School: Upon the resignation of Miss Kathryn G. Driscoll, Mrs. Helen G. Hildreth, a graduate of Keene Teachers College, was elected to replace her.

In order to afford Principal Arthur G. Scott more time for administration and supervision, Mrs. Mary I. Scott was elected to a half-time position in grade 6. Mrs. Scott is a graduate of Keene Teachers College.

Such a large turnover as occurred in Hinsdale High School this past fall is not a healthy condition. We were most fortunate in securing an efficient staff of teachers. However, it is important to retain our teachers as long as possible. A salary schedule adopted for Hinsdale teachers would be one factor in their retention. It would enable the teachers to know what the future holds for them in Hinsdale.

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS: *High School:* The doorway between rooms 1 and 3 was sealed and the partition between the two rooms was soundproofed. Room 3 was completely reconditioned and equipped with movable desk and chair units. These two rooms are used for the large seventh grade class.

Room 9 was redecorated in light pastel gray. Room 9 is the mathematics and science room where Mr. Barlow teaches.

Each year the school board has one or two rooms reconditioned. This is in keeping with the long range plans of the board in maintaining the high school building in as good a condition as possible.

Elementary School: The two end stairways, all three corridors, the cafeteria and lower classroom were repainted during the summer.

Floodlights were installed at the two entrances at either end of the building to make it safer for people parking their cars and entering the building for night meetings.

Asphalt was applied at both entrances to provide better drainage of surface water and prevent icy conditions in the winter.

ENROLLMENT TRENDS**Enrollment Table—January, 1953**

GRADE

School	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Elementary	32	66	53	36	37	43	47							314
High School								45	34	30	27	23	18	177
Grand Total														<hr/> 491

Possible Future First Grade Enrollments

(Data taken from School Census Cards)

1954	1955	1956	1957	1958
40	40	48	48	32

**Possible Future Enrollments
Elementary School**

GRADE

School Year	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
1954-55	32	40	66	53	36	37	43	307
1955-56	32	40	40	66	53	36	37	304
1956-57	32	48	40	40	66	53	36	315
1957-58	32	48	48	40	40	66	53	327
1958-59	32	32	48	48	40	40	66	306

High School

GRADE

School Year	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
1954-55	47	45	34	30	27	23	206
1955-56	43	47	45	34	30	27	226
1956-57	37	43	47	45	34	30	236
1957-58	36	37	43	47	45	34	242
1958-59	53	36	37	43	47	45	261
1959-60	66	53	36	37	43	47	282
1960-61	40	66	53	36	37	43	275
1961-62	40	40	66	53	36	37	272
1962-63	48	40	40	66	53	36	283
1963-64	48	48	40	40	66	53	295
1964-65	32	48	48	40	40	66	274

The above tables which have been printed in recent reports have proved of great value. The predictions have been remarkably accurate, particularly for the lower grades. The high school figures are high due to drop-outs, etc. They do point up the fact, however, that the high school will suffer growing pains in the years head.

This is a problem which must be faced soon. Just what the answer will be is dependent on how the people of Hinsdale wish it to be solved.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation to the teachers, pupils and parents, the School Board and the patrons of our schools for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER C. LEES

Superintendent of Schools

January 11, 1954,
Winchester, N. H.

ROLL OF HONOR
(Perfect Attendance)

Hinsdale High School

Barbara Bouchie	Grade 12
Gloria O'Connell	Grade 12
Alice Blouin	Grade 11
Clesson McDonald	Grade 10
Chester Thomas	Grade 10
Dorothy Wallace	Grade 10
Donna Lindsay	Grade 9
Lewis Major	Grade 9
Robert Marshall	Grade 9
Anna Tkaczyk	Grade 9
Paula Lucier	Grade 8
Josephine Pelech	Grade 8
Robert Tupper	Grade 8
Sandra Bennett	Grade 7
Burnett Butler	Grade 7
Robert Carpenter	Grade 7
Robert Smith	Grade 7
Sandra Stanclift	Grade 7
Edith Thomas	Grade 7

Hinsdale Elementary School

Alice Baronoski	Grade 6
Paul Boroski	Grade 6
Leona Burbeck	Grade 6
Bonnie Brandl	Grade 6
Charles Parenchuck	Grade 6
Elmer Russell	Grade 6
Anders Thomas	Grade 6
Janet Wojchick	Grade 5
Dixie Carpenter	Grade 5
Charles Karacas	Grade 5

James Mecheski	Grade 5
Rachel Rubeor	Grade 5
Sandra Szulborski	Grade 5
Lee Smith	Grade 5
Robert Brandl	Grade 4
Sandra Goss	Grade 4
Rita Hastings	Grade 4
William Kirkwood	Grade 4
Wayne Sprague	Grade 4
Peter Zavorotny	Grade 3
Sandra Clark	Grade 1
Ann Preston	Grade 1
Carolyn Sprague	Grade 1
Nygren Thomas	Grade 1
Carol Waseleski	Grade 1

STATISTICAL TABLE OF HINSDALE SCHOOLS
1952-1953

School	Enrollment	Average Attendance	Average Membership	Per cent of Attendance	Visits by Citizens	Not Absent or tardy
Hinsdale High, grades 9-12	107	97.60	102.54	95.19	25	10
grades 7-8	68	62.01	64.66	95.90	0	9
Elementary, grade 6	45	40.80	42.61	95.74	7	7
grade 5	47	41.67	43.77	95.21	10	7
grade 4	42	38.22	39.88	95.83	39	5
grade 3	38	34.04	36.16	94.13	22	1
grade 2	37	34.18	35.89	95.23	22	0
grade 1	61	51.74	54.83	94.36	35	5
kindergarten	46	35.66	41.14	86.69	79	0
Totals	491	435.92	461.48	94.46	239	44

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF HINSDALE ON DECEMBER 31, 1953

Date of Creation	Name of Cemetery Trust Fund	How Invested	Amt. of Principal on Hand at Beginning of Year	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Rate of Interest	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Dec. 16, 1920	Frederick A. Adams	U. S. Bond	\$100.00		2 1/2	\$2.50	\$2.50	
Jan. 4, 1929	Oliver Adams	U. S. Bond	200.00		2 1/2	5.00	5.00	
Dec. 11, 1916	William B. Adams	U. S. Bond	300.00	\$11.31	2 1/2	7.50	6.50	\$12.31
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	Mechanics Savings Bank	2,500.00		3	75.00	75.00	
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	Manchester Savings Bank	2,500.00	25.00	3	75.00	100.00	
Nov. 5, 1916	Mary A. Arnold	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Nov. 5, 1952	Ash-Jesseman	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00		3	5.00	3.00	2.00
Jan. 16, 1923	Lucretia Atwood	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Jan. 24, 1943	Atwood & Butler	U. S. Bond	200.00	2.00	2 1/2	5.00	5.00	2.00
Apr. 22, 1935	Bailey & Smith	U. S. Bond	200.00	5.50	2 1/2	5.00	4.00	6.50
Dec. 21, 1950	Harriet E. Bascom	Cheshire County Savings Bank	88.18	.66	3	2.64	3.30	
July 17, 1916	Emma F. Barrett	U. S. Bond	300.00	13.47	2 1/2	7.50	6.50	14.47
Nov. 19, 1937	Katherine J. Barrett	U. S. Bond	200.00		2 1/2	5.00	5.00	
Sept. 6, 1908	Martha A. Barrett	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
July 20, 1943	Walter H. Barrett	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Feb. 4, 1919	Wm. W. Barrett	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Oct. 3, 1950	Adelia M. Barrows	U. S. Bond	500.00		2 1/2	12.50	12.50	
Sept. 25, 1945	Edgar Bartlett	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Oct. 3, 1950	Joseph Bell	Manchester Savings Bank	200.00	1.50	2 1/2	6.00	5.00	2.50
July 8, 1946	John Bielek	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Dec. 31, 1950	Margaret C. Bergeron	Cheshire County Savings Bank	500.00	4.25	2 1/2	15.00	15.00	4.25
Mar. 26, 1934	Barrows & Bolton	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
May 24, 1904	Edward Blanchard	U. S. Bond	200.00		2 1/2	5.00	5.00	
Aug. 16, 1945	Day & Boldt	U. S. Bond	300.00	5.00	2 1/2	7.50	7.00	5.00
Nov. 21, 1921	Bowler & Stratton	U. S. Bond	300.00	4.17	2 1/2	7.50	7.00	4.61
July 1, 1927	Della H. Boyden	U. S. Bond	500.00	4.25	2 1/2	12.50	12.50	4.25
Feb. 1, 1929	Bradford Britton	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Apr. 23, 1952	Helena & Robert Browning	Cheshire County Savings Bank	50.00	.63	3	1.50	1.25	.88
Aug. 8, 1928	Fred A. Buckley	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Oct. 11, 1916	J. H. Burns	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	

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Sept. 24, 1924	Eva Burnham	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	20.00
Jan. 10, 1936	Foster Butler	U. S. Bond	600.00	19.79	2 1/2	15.00	14.79	
Sept. 9, 1924	Butler & Blanchard	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Jan. 9, 1932	A. W. Cady	Manchester Savings Bank	190.00	5.88	3	5.70	5.50	6.08
May 10, 1937	Carey & Howe	U. S. Bond	500.00	9.66	2 1/2	12.50	12.00	10.16
Aug. 1, 1951	Wm. & Dorothy Chalfant	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	2.00	3	6.00	5.00	3.00
July 16, 1916	Sophira A. Clark	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
July 9, 1929	Abbie S. Cook	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Sept. 1, 1947	Elmer Coons	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Sept. 30, 1940	Charles Cooper	U. S. Bond	150.00		2 1/2	3.75	3.75	
Apr. 8, 1946	Edgar Currier	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Oct. 3, 1950	Samuel Currier Trust	Manchester Savings Bank	210.00	3.39	3	6.30	5.00	4.69
Oct. 15, 1947	Frank L. Cutler	U. S. Bond	100.00	25.00	2 1/2	5.00	5.00	30.00
Aug. 8, 1945	Horace & Harriet Darling	U. S. Bond	200.00		2 1/2	5.00	5.00	
May 19, 1923	Louie Davenport	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Oct. 15, 1938	Sylvester Davenport	U. S. Bond	200.00		2 1/2	5.00	5.00	
Nov. 9, 1945	Amasa A. Davis	U. S. Bond	150.00		2 1/2	3.75	3.00	3.75
Oct. 14, 1948	William S. Dean	U. S. Bond	150.00	3.00	2 1/2	3.75	3.75	
Feb. 9, 1946	Charles Dickerman	U. S. Bond	100.00	1.25	2 1/2	2.50	2.50	1.95
Aug. 27, 1923	William Dickinson	U. S. Bond	200.00	4.98	2 1/2	5.00	5.00	4.98
Sept. 30, 1921	Addie E. Dix	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Mar. 1, 1945	Miles Doolittle	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Nov. 1, 1911	Eliza M. Dunham	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Jan. 22, 1941	Ira Leroy Dunham	U. S. Bond	150.00	7.78	2 1/2	3.75	3.75	7.78
Sept. 20, 1923	Elmore & Cooper	U. S. Bond	250.00		2 1/2	6.25	6.25	
Mar. 27, 1926	Frank Elliott	U. S. Bond	200.00		2 1/2	5.00	4.00	5.00
Dec. 29, 1943	Sanford A. Emerson	U. S. Bond	200.00	5.50	2 1/2	6.00	5.00	7.00
Sept. 27, 1952	Henry English	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00		3	6.00	4.00	2.00
Aug. 22, 1930	Delia D. Estey	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
July 27, 1914	George B. Estey	U. S. Bond	450.00	10.17	2 1/2	11.25	11.00	10.42

May 1, 1948	Kenneth Fales	U. S. Bond	100.00	9 1/2	2.50	2.50
Oct. 25, 1919	Lemuel A. Fales	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50
Sept. 4, 1929	Alexander Ferguson	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.50	1.09
Nov. 26, 1930	F. D. Fisk	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50
Oct. 2, 1942	Charles A. Fletcher	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	3.13	27.31
Jan. 5, 1927	Lionie A. Frazier	U. S. Bond	125.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50
Oct. 3, 1950	Arad Gilbert	Manchester Savings Bank	125.00	3	3.76	1.34
June 1, 1930	Geo. Goodwin & Frank Thomas	U. S. Bond	900.00	2 1/2	22.50	116.50
May 27, 1931	Lorenzo Goss	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50
Aug. 24, 1937	Haile & Stebbins	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2	7.50	4.00
Nov. 3, 1951	Oliver Hale	Cheshire County Savings Bank	250.00	3	7.50	5.75
Apr. 4, 1938	Albert L. Hall	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50
Nov. 11, 1943	Clifton B. Hall	U. S. Bond & Cheshire County Savings Bank	300.00	3	8.25	2.25
Sept. 18, 1946	Warren M. Hall	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	3.75	4.00
July 6, 1931	Doolittle Hancock	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	5.00	3.40
Mar. 10, 1944	E. A. Hardy	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50
June 14, 1927	Henry Higginson	U. S. Bond	150.00	4.10	3.75	3.85
Aug. 10, 1939	Edwin Hildreth	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50
July 26, 1946	R. C. & R. S. Hildreth	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	5.00	10.00
Aug. 10, 1945	Lilla B. Hilliard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50
July 25, 1927	Holland & Holton	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	5.00	5.00
Nov. 12, 1920	Iason R. Holman	U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2	12.50	7.62
Aug. 23, 1948	Warren D. Holman	U. S. Bond	200.00	3.00	5.00	3.00
Nov. 23, 1917	Holton & Nims	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	3.75	3.75
Sept. 28, 1927	George C. Hopkins	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	3.75	3.75
Aug. 10, 1922	James & Elbridge Horton	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2	7.50	8.75
Aug. 4, 1916	William A. Horton	U. S. Bond	200.00	1.50	5.00	1.00
June 6, 1952	F. W. Hosford	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3	6.00	7.50
Dec. 5, 1928	David E. Houghtaling	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	3.75	1.50
Jan. 3, 1952	Clarence Howe	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3	6.00	6.00
May 7, 1947	Junietta B. Howe	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50
Aug. 25, 1932	George E. Howe	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	5.00	5.00
Nov. 25, 1922	Calbert J. Hubbard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50
Apr. 17, 1930	Charles Hubbard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50
Aug. 6, 1926	George H. & Sophira H. Ide	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50
Mar. 22, 1922	E. D. Jeffords	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50
June 22, 1912	John Jeffords	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2	7.50	8.50
May 28, 1923	Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	U. S. Bond & 2 shares	150.00	2 1/2	26.25	18.30
Jan. 24, 1949	Jones & Upham	Peterboro Savings Bank	100.00	2.02	3.00	2.52
Apr. 25, 1933	Fred Hooker Jones	U. S. Bond	2,125.00	2 1/2	53.12	53.12
June 10, 1914	Julia W. Jones	U. S. Bond	100.00	5.88	2.50	5.88
Aug. 7, 1952	Warren Keniston	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	.25	3.00	.25
Dec. 24, 1952	Fred Kendrick	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3	4.50	4.00

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Date of Creation	Name of Cemetery Trust Fund	How Invested	Amt. of Principal Beginning of Year	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Rate of Interest	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
July 1, 1947	Wm. S. Kimball	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50		
July 5, 1929	Willie King	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50		
Apr. 25, 1949	Albert Krumenaker	U. S. Bond	200.00	4.00	2 1/2	5.00	5.00	4.00
Sept. 4, 1921	Charles H. H. Langille	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50		
June 17, 1944	Philip G. Langille	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50		
Apr. 21, 1931	Rufus Langworthy	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50		
May 17, 1948	Neil E. I. Latham	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50		
Jan. 25, 1929	Mary LeBert	U. S. Bond	200.00	8.87	2 1/2	5.00	5.00	8.87
July 12, 1951	James & Agnes Lehane	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	.50	3	3.00	3.00	.50
July 12, 1951	Richard & Rita Lehane	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	.50	3	3.00	3.00	.50
Sept. 18, 1917	George W. Lewis	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50		
Jan. 14, 1931	Samuel Liscom	U. S. Bond	150.00		2 1/2	3.75	3.75	
May 5, 1928	Forrest S. Lowell	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50		
Apr. 24, 1951	Mrs. M. J. Madigan	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	.50	3	3.00	3.00	.94
May 19, 1920	Elizabeth W. Markey	U. S. Bond	100.00	1.44	2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
July 18, 1931	Anna Marsh	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50		
Sept. 18, 1946	Francis & Blanche Mason	U. S. Bond	150.00	4.00	2 1/2	3.00	3.00	4.75
Jan. 5, 1952	Cona S. Merritt	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	4.00	2 1/2	6.00	4.00	6.00
May 30, 1948	Ralph E. Metcalf	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
July 3, 1941	Muzzev & Bardwell	U. S. Bond	150.00		2 1/2	3.75	3.75	
Feb. 22, 1930	Margaret C. Myers	U. S. Bond	200.00		2 1/2	5.00	4.00	5.00
Aug. 1, 1951	Herbert K. & Stella Newell	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	3.00	3	6.00	2.50	
Apr. 18, 1918	Annis J. Newstead	U. S. Bond	150.00	.45	2 1/2	3.75	4.20	
July 7, 1927	Dennis C. Nims	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Mar. 4, 1929	O'Neal & Stearns	U. S. Bond	150.00	10.33	2 1/2	3.75	4.00	10.08
Nov. 19, 1914	Charles Owen	U. S. Bond	200.00	6.45	2 1/2	5.00	4.00	7.45
June 26, 1948	F. O. Packard	U. S. Bond	300.00	10.75	2 1/2	7.50	6.00	12.25
Mar. 25, 1943	Fred M. Perkins	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Feb. 5, 1945	Edwin Pearson	U. S. Bond	600.00	13.00	2 1/2	15.00	15.00	13.00
July 16, 1929	Emma Peterson	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	

Nov. 10, 1933	Augusta H. Pike	U. S. Bond and Cheshire County Savings Bank	300.00	7.00	2½+	8.50	6.50	9.00
Sept. 23, 1952	Ezra B. Pike	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00		3	6.00	5.00	6.00
Aug. 6, 1953	C. W. & C. M. Pike	U. S. Bond	200.00	9.42	2½	5.00	4.00	9.42
Jan. 7, 1952	Charles & Fred Polley	U. S. Bond	150.00		2½	3.75	5.00	2.25
Nov. 8, 1952	Charles & Fred Polley	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00		3	2.50	2.50	
Jan. 11, 1907	Emma Rice	U. S. Bond	100.00		2½	2.50	2.50	
Mar. 8, 1919	Henry A. Richardson	U. S. Bond	200.00	10.20	2½	5.00	5.00	10.20
July 2, 1930	Gilbert Richmond	U. S. Bond	200.00	5.78	2½	5.00	5.00	5.78
May 23, 1925	Edwin C. Robertson	U. S. Bond and 2 shares Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	200.00		2½	27.50	22.00	34.34
Dec. 18, 1918	George A. Robertson	U. S. Bond	200.00	28.84	2½	5.00	5.00	23.28
Feb. 10, 1917	Orren C. Robertson	U. S. Bond	500.00	45.00	2½	12.50	11.00	46.50
Oct. 1, 1929	Winifred F. Robertson	U. S. Bond	200.00		2½	4.50	5.00	
Aug. 23, 1951	Arthur Rouillard	Cheshire County Savings Bank	150.00	4.88	3	4.50	6.00	3.38
Oct. 11, 1945	Charles Roy	U. S. Bond	100.00	15.00	2½	2.50	2.50	17.50
Apr. 15, 1938	Henry A. Royce	U. S. Bond	200.00		2½	5.00	5.00	
Jan. 24, 1949	William Royce	Peterboro Savings Bank	150.00	2.80	3	4.50	4.00	3.30
Dec. 24, 1950	Robert R. Rubcor	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	1.00	3	6.00	7.00	
Sept. 25, 1925	Sarah H. Saben	U. S. Bond	200.00		2½	5.00	5.00	
Sept. 24, 1920	D. L. Sanderson	U. S. Bond	200.00	7.96	2½	5.00	5.00	7.96
June 22, 1926	Sargent & Pifer	U. S. Bond	200.00	9.55	2½	2.50	2.50	9.55
Jan. 14, 1927	Harriet A. Savage	U. S. Bond	100.00		2½	2.50	2.50	
May 22, 1925	John E. Scott	U. S. Bond	100.00	2.19	2½	2.50	4.00	.69
Nov. 2, 1915	Mary B. Searle	U. S. Bond	200.00	5.96	2½	5.00	5.00	5.96
Nov. 6, 1929	George E. Shattuck	U. S. Bond	200.00		2½	2.50	2.50	
Dec. 21, 1911	Louis N. Shepard	U. S. Bond	100.00		2½	2.50	2.50	
Nov. 4, 1920	Sheridan Post No. 14 G.A.R.	U. S. Bond and Keene Savings Bank	272.72	.18	2½+	7.18	7.36	
Aug. 5, 1929	George P. Slate	U. S. Bond	200.00	6.92	2½	5.00	5.00	6.92
July 13, 1919	Harley & Ruby Sheldon	Mechanics Savings Bank	356.40	12.52	3	10.68	6.50	16.70
Oct. 3, 1950	Irving Smith	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	.75	3	3.00	2.50	1.25
May 1, 1944	Daniel H. Smith	U. S. Bond	200.00	32.50	2½	5.00	3.00	34.50
June 7, 1923	Mary Hooker Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00		2½	2.50	2.50	
Oct. 19, 1916	G. Milan Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00		2½	2.50	2.50	
May 17, 1948	Orson G. Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00		2½	2.50	2.50	
Dec. 11, 1933	Pardon Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00		2½	2.50	2.50	
Oct. 27, 1920	Pauline Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00		2½	2.50	2.50	
July 12, 1946	Thomas H. Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00		2½	2.50	2.50	
Oct. 30, 1929	William C. Smith	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00		2½	2.50	2.50	
May 16, 1951	James G. Snow, 2nd	U. S. Bond	200.00	4.00	3	6.00	4.00	6.00
Aug. 22, 1948	John G. Snow	U. S. Bond	100.00		2½	5.00	2.50	
Jan. 7, 1944	John G. Snow	U. S. Bond	200.00		2½	5.00	5.00	
Jan. 30, 1929	Henry C. Spaulding	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	1.50	2½	2.50	2.50	
Mar. 13, 1952					3	3.00	4.50	

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Date of Creation	Name of Cemetery Trust Fund	How Invested	Amt. of Principal Beginning of Year	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Rate of Interest	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
June 10, 1939	James Spencer	U. S. Bond and Claremont Savings Bank	933.50	14.86	3 1/2	25.60	23.00	17.46
May 19, 1937	Halsey Sprague	U. S. Bond	100.00	1.63	2 1/2	2.50	2.50	1.63
Aug. 23, 1919	Althea M. Stearns	U. S. Bond	500.00	32.20	2 1/2	12.50	12.50	32.20
Dec. 4, 1939	Dwight & Willis Stearns	U. S. Bond	200.00	5.51	2 1/2	5.00	5.00	5.51
June 30, 1952	Stearns- Stadigan	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	.75	3	3.00	3.75	3.00
May 2, 1923	Newton Stearns	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	2.50
Jan. 30, 1913	Edward Stebbins	U. S. Bond	200.00	2.70	2 1/2	2.00	2.00	2.70
Jan. 19, 1918	Eliza A. Stebbins	U. S. Bond	200.00		2 1/2	2.00	2.00	
May 5, 1906	Lorenzo Stebbins	U. S. Bond	150.00	3.00	2 1/2	3.75	4.00	2.75
Jan. 14, 1948	Percy C. Stewart	U. S. Bond	200.00	6.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50	6.00
Sept. 25, 1929	Dora A. Stratton	U. S. Bond	200.00	11.83	2 1/2	5.00	5.00	11.83
Mar. 2, 1946	Eliza E. Symonds	U. S. Bond	300.00	12.79	2 1/2	7.50	7.50	12.79
May 9, 1941	Lewis Taylor	U. S. Bond	200.00	2.00	3	6.00	4.00	4.00
Jan. 1, 1927	Prentiss W. Taylor	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2.50	2 1/2	2.50	2.50	2.50
May 14, 1952	Prentiss W. Taylor, II	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
July 1, 1927	William P. Taylor	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Dec. 14, 1920	William P. Taylor	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Jan. 18, 1912	Taylor & Bloodgett	U. S. Bond	200.00	19.50	2 1/2	5.00	3.00	24.50
Nov. 5, 1951	Edalbert J. Temple	U. S. Bond	100.00	1.25	3	3.00	3.00	1.25
Oct. 3, 1924	Charles & Fanny Thomas	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	5.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50	4.50
May 3, 1924	Charles & Mary Thomas	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Sept. 10, 1945	Chester & Jennie Thomas	U. S. Bond	150.00	4.13	3	3.75	3.75	3.38
Oct. 5, 1951	John W. Thomas	Cheshire County Savings Bank	510.00	3.64	2 1/2	10.00	10.00	14.88
May 14, 1930	Frank W. Tilden	U. S. Bond	400.00	14.88	2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Apr. 17, 1934	Walter C. Todd	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Sept. 6, 1915	James O. Tuttle	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Apr. 27, 1910	Albert W. Tyler	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
May 20, 1908	E. Warren Tyler	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
July 30, 1908	Tyler & Barber	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Jan. 29, 1923	Ella V. Upham	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	

Aug.	29, 1945	Charles Walker	U. S. Bond	100.00	8.75	2 1/2	2.50	2.50	8.75
Feb.	28, 1944	Wm. G. Wallace	U. S. Bond	100.00	8.75	2 1/2	2.50	2.50	8.75
May	9, 1949	Chester Waterman	U. S. Bond	100.00	1.25	2 1/2	2.50	2.50	1.25
Nov.	8, 1944	Wm. E. Watson	U. S. Bond	150.00	2.62	2 1/2	3.75	3.75	2.62
Mar.	15, 1937	Robert A. & Lulu M. Weeks	U. S. Bond	200.00	24.30	2 1/2	5.00	5.00	24.30
Feb.	11, 1939	Eva Fuller Wellman	U. S. Bond	150.00		2 1/2	8.75	8.75	
Sept.	9, 1924	George & Alonzo Wellman	U. S. Bond	150.00		2 1/2	8.75	8.75	
Sept.	1, 1914	George A. Wheeler	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Mar.	20, 1953	Guy Whitney	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	3.00	3.00	
Sept.	11, 1952	John Wilder	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00		3	3.00	3.00	
July	30, 1928	Katherine Wilkins	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	6.00	6.00	
Sept.	11, 1952	Rev. Alphonso C. Williams	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00		2 1/2	8.75	8.75	
Oct.	15, 1947	Alta Thomas Williams	U. S. Bond	150.00	4.50	2 1/2	5.00	5.00	4.50
Mar.	21, 1946	Frank L. Williams	U. S. Bond	200.00	31.55	2 1/2	5.00	5.00	31.55
Feb.	4, 1923	Chas. H. Wood	U. S. Bond	100.00	20.00	2 1/2	2.50	2.50	20.00
Mar.	15, 1944	H. Ralph Wood	U. S. Bond	200.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
June	12, 1912	Irene F. Wood	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
July	26, 1917	Helen A. Worden	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Oct.	21, 1916	Edwin S. Wright	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Jan.	4, 1952	George Wright	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	1.82	3	3.00	3.00	1.82
Apr.	30, 1951	Randolph Wright	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3.00	3	6.00	6.00	3.00
Oct.	9, 1920	Joseph A. Wyatt	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Jan.	5, 1923	Wyman & Leland	U. S. Bond	100.00		2 1/2	2.50	2.50	
Apr.	29, 1953	Olive A. Joslyn	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00		3	2.50	2.50	
Sept.	22, 1953	Florence O'Connor	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00		3	2.50	2.50	
Oct.	19, 1953	Chas. Bailey & Pauline B. Ellis	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00		3	2.50	2.50	
TOTALS				\$46,175.80	960.04		\$1250.36	\$1208.77	1001.63

LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS

Date of Creation	Name of Library Trust Fund	How Invested	Amt. of Principal	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Rate of Interest	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	U. S. Bonds	\$10,000.00		2 1/2	\$250.00	\$250.00	
Nov. 12, 1921	Harrison M. Bowker	U. S. Bonds	500.00		2 1/2	12.50	12.50	
July 12, 1916	Henry A. Jones	U. S. Bonds	500.00		2 1/2	12.50	12.50	
Apr. 10, 1910	Althea M. Stearns	U. S. Bonds	200.00		2 1/2	5.00	5.00	
TOTALS			\$11,200.00			\$280.00	\$280.00	

TOWN OF HINSDALE, N.H.
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Summary Statement of Trust Fund Principal and Income
 Fiscal Year Ending January 1, 1954

	Amount Dec. 31, 1952	Principal Added 1953	Cash Balance Dec. 31, 1952	Income 1953	Expended 1953	Balance Jan. 1, 1954
Cemetery Funds	\$45,775.80		\$960.04	\$1,250.36	\$1,208.77	\$1,001.63
Library Funds	11,200.00			280.00	280.00	
New Trust Funds 1953						
Olive A. Joslyn		200.00		200.00	200.00	
Florence O'Connor		100.00		100.00	100.00	
Chas. Bailey & Pauline Ellis		100.00		100.00	100.00	
New Trust Funds	\$56,975.80	\$400.00	\$960.04	\$1,930.36	\$1,888.77	\$1,001.63
	400.00					
Summary	\$57,375.80					
Amount of Principal	\$57,375.80					
Accumulated Income (check book balance)	1,001.63					
Total Assets	\$58,377.43					

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

JASON W. HOLMAN, Treas.
 LOUIS N. STEARNS
 RAY L. FLETCHER

January 6, 1954

Trustees

**TOWN OF HINSDALE
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS**

Statement of Securities and Bank Deposits as of January 1, 1954

<i>Location of Deposit</i>	<i>Name of Fund</i>	<i>Bank Book Number</i>	<i>Amount</i>
Deposit Box, Keene National Bank	U. S. Bonds		\$4,700.00
Mechanics Savings Bank	Annie E. Amidon	13232	2,500.00
Mechanics Savings Bank	Cora Hooker Smith	13665	356.40
Manchester Savings Bank	Annie E. Amidon	158234	2,500.00
Manchester Savings Bank	A. W. Cady	162065	190.00
Peterborough Savings Bank	Jones & Upham	24969	100.00
Peterborough Savings Bank	William Royce	24970	150.00
Claremont Savings Bank	James Spencer	4257	433.50
Keene Savings Bank	Sheridan Post No. 14	9957	72.72
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Clifton Hall	43572	150.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Robert R. Rubecor	43666	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Harriet E. Bascom	43667	88.18
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Margaret C. Bergeron	43668	500.00
Manchester Savings Bank	Harley & Ruby Sheldon	200433	100.00
Manchester Savings Bank	Arad Gilbert	200434	125.00
Manchester Savings Bank	Samuel Currier	200435	210.00
Manchester Savings Bank	Joseph Bell	200436	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Augusta H. Pike	43902	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Mrs. M. J. Madigan	44110	100.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Randolph Wright	44129	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Wm. G. Smith	44157	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Richard & Rita Lehane	44342	100.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	James F. & Agnes Lehane	44343	100.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Wm. & Dorothy Chalfant	44420	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Herbert K. & Stella Newell	44419	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Arthur Rouillard	44506	150.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	John W. Thomas	44699	150.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Chas. & Fanny Thomas	44700	100.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Oliver Hale	44764	250.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	David E. Houghtaling	45043	200.00

Cheshire County Savings Bank	Leon Merritt	45041	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	George Wright	45042	100.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Henry C. Spaulding	45276	100.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Rob't & Helena Browning	45415	50.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Prentiss W. Taylor, II	45467	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	William A. Horton	45533	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Stearns-Madigan	45617	100.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Warren Keniston	45803	100.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	John Wilder	45948	100.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Dr. Alphonse C. Williams	45949	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Ezra Pike	45990	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Henry English	46022	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Ash-Jesseman	46201	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Chas. & Fred Polley	46203	100.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Fred Kendrick	46381	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Olive A. Joslyn	46866	200.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Florence O'Connor	47496	100.00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Chas. A. Bailey & Pauline B. Ellis	47594	100.00
Total Securities and Savings Bank Funds			\$57,375.80

CHECKING ACCOUNT

Balance Keene National Bank

\$ 1,001.63

TOTAL

\$58,377.43

SECURITIES HELD FOR TRUST ACCOUNTS TRUST ACCOUNT CERTIFICATE NO.

Two shares Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.
Two shares Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.M 440974
M 440973John Jeffords
Edwin C. Robertson

SECURITIES HELD FOR SAFE KEEPING

U.S. Gov. Bond Series F
U.S. Gov. Bond Series F
U.S. Gov. Bond Series F
U.S. Gov. Bond Series F
U.S. Gov. Bond Series GM 971947 F
M 539323 F
M 799615 F
Q 1280454 F
C 344435 GHinsdale Fire Dept.
Hinsdale Fire Dept.
Hinsdale Fire Dept.
Hinsdale Playground Comm.
Hinsdale Library Assoc.\$1,000.00
1,000.00
1,000.00
25.00
100.00

\$3,125.00

January 15, 1954

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The books of account of the Trustees of Trust Funds for the Town of Hinsdale have been audited as of December 31, 1953, and have been found to agree with the bank balance at the Keene National Bank of Keene, N.H. In addition we have examined all of the securities, including those held in safe-keeping for the Library Committee, the Playground Committee and the Fire Department, and have found them to agree with the register maintained by the Treasurer of the Trust Fund account. All passbooks held, have been checked against the register and were found to agree with the records as to depository bank, account number and original principal balance.

Auditors, Town of Hinsdale, N.H.

RICHARD M. MITCHELL
MILDRED M. MERRITT

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Baby's Name</i>	<i>Father's Name</i>	<i>Mother's Maiden Name</i>
1952				
Dec. 1	Brattleboro, Vt.	Michael Earl	Michael J. Coughlin	Bernice M. Chapin
Dec. 8	Brattleboro, Vt.	Mary Catherine	Robert J. Nesbitt	Stella K. Jagodzinski
1953				
Jan. 27	Brattleboro, Vt.	Robert Kenneth	Arnold E. Dixon	Mary A. Walker
Jan. 30	Keene	George Edwin, Jr.	George E. Starkey	Elizabeth E. Smart
Feb. 12	Brattleboro, Vt.	Elinor Jeanne	Leason D. Dickinson	Frances E. Principe
Feb. 19	Brattleboro, Vt.	William Francis	Arthur M. Pavao	Bernice L. Duggan
Feb. 19	Keene	Kathleen Mary	Francis J. Sarsfield	Evelyn Nikiforakis
Mar. 1	Brattleboro, Vt.	Dorothy Leola	Floyd L. Grover	Sylvia L. LaFlam
Mar. 17	Brattleboro, Vt.	Debra Jean	Roger E. Jasienowski	Ethel R. Butler
Mar. 26	Brattleboro, Vt.	Paul Vincent	Joseph E. Martell	Kathleen A. Therieu
Apr. 3	Brattleboro, Vt.	Douglas Michael	Frederick P. Burdo	Lorraine M. Crowell
Apr. 6	Brattleboro, Vt.	Richard William	Richard K. Cunningham	Janet F. Wallace
Apr. 7	Brattleboro, Vt.	Frank Joseph 3rd	Frank J. Amarosa, Jr.	Winifred J. Bouchie
Apr. 30	Brattleboro, Vt.	Dana Russell	Russell H. Mears	Barbara H. Johnson
May 22	Brattleboro, Vt.	Matthew Arnold	Arnold B. Edson	Irene T. Kilhart
June 17	Keene	June Rose	Joseph S. Major	Doris A. Manch
June 20	Keene	Elaine Laurette	Raymond P. Bolden	Laurette S. Corbin
June 30	Brattleboro, Vt.	Roy Edward	Richard W. Brooks	Dorothy M. Boyle
July 4	Keene	David Earl	Earl C. Nelson	Mary J. Cheney
July 25	Keene	Garry Allan	Wandell A. Gove	Helen Martin
Aug. 4	Brattleboro, Vt.	George Alonzo, Jr.	George A. Grover	Beatrice M. Mead
Aug. 13	Brattleboro, Vt.	Rosemary Clare	William A. Dunn	Marie C. Ammann
Sept. 1	Brattleboro, Vt.	Kathleen Ann	Carl L. Packard	Margaret E. Stanclift
Sept. 8	Brattleboro, Vt.	Louis Stanley, Jr.	Louis S. LeBlanc	Liberta M. Amarosa
Sept. 14	Brattleboro, Vt.	Gay Lynn	Willard F. Silver	Barbara O. Shedd
Sept. 20	Brattleboro, Vt.	Jerry Richard	Richard K. Mitchell	Beatrice E. Butler
Oct. 3	Brattleboro, Vt.	David Paul	Richard S. Johnson	Marjorie E. Anderson
Oct. 5	Brattleboro, Vt.	Deena Romelle	Richard M. Northup	Theresa A. Mulroney
Oct. 21	Keene	Richard Stanley, Jr.	Richard S. LaPoint	Shirley M. Miner
Nov. 5	Rochester	Maxine Blanche	Stephen Zavorotny	Teania M. Morrill
Nov. 10	Brattleboro, Vt.	Peter Nicholas	Michael Kmet	Mary C. Wrobel
Nov. 27	Keene	Ronnie Lee	Alfred L. Guerin	Harriett E. Slocum
Nov. 25	Brattleboro, Vt.	Kathy Jean	Clarence E. Howe	Mary A. Smith
Nov. 30	Brattleboro, Vt.	Albert George	Albert G. Krumenaker	Kathleen V. Romano
Dec. 5	Brattleboro, Vt.	Jane Kathryn	John P. Gogel	Stella M. Bolden
Dec. 9	Brattleboro, Vt.	Suzanne Marie	Ronald J. Passeneau	Rita M. LaFortune
Dec. 9	Brattleboro, Vt.	Elliot Paul	Arthur P. Bouchie, Jr.	Helen A. Mulroney
Dec. 16	Brattleboro, Vt.	David Robert	Robert N. Howe	Lorraine G. Briggs

MARRIAGES

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence</i>
1952			
Nov. 22	Brattleboro, Vt.	Ronald J. Passeneau Rita M. LaFortune	Hinsdale Brattleboro, Vt.
Dec. 25	Chesterfield	Cecil W. Wilson Vera J. Smart	Hinsdale Chesterfield
1953			
Jan. 17	Brattleboro, Vt.	Irving E. Bristo Ruth Tkaczyk	Brattleboro, Vt. Hinsdale
Feb. 7	Hinsdale	Robert J. Allen Beverly A. Chase	Easthampton, Mass. Easthampton, Mass.
Feb. 14	Hinsdale	Baron H. Tabor Doris M. Ryea	Brattleboro, Vt. Brattleboro, Vt.
Feb. 28	Hinsdale	Philip A. Tetreault Evelyn M. Beaubien	Turners Falls, Mass. Turners Falls, Mass.
Mar. 21	Hinsdale	Joseph H. Naylor Manetta A. Marshey	Hartford, Conn. Hartford, Conn.
Mar. 22	Hinsdale	Richard S. LaPoint Shirley M. Miner	Winchester Hinsdale
Mar. 25	Erving, Mass.	Henry D. Abbott Joyce F. Reed	Erving, Mass. Hinsdale
Apr. 11	Hinsdale	George S. Loudon Rose E. Zon	Greenfield, Mass. Greenfield, Mass.
May 16	Hinsdale	Walter S. Kieszek Dolores E. Cousins	Easthampton, Mass. Hinsdale
June 5	Hinsdale	Edward R. Moore Evelyn B. Gilson	Hinsdale Hinsdale
June 6	Hinsdale	Charles G. Burt, Jr. Barbara T. Larson	Charlton, Mass. Webster, Mass.
June 20	Hinsdale	Henry J. Blouin Helen P. Sikoski	Hinsdale Hinsdale
June 26	Hinsdale	Harry F. Schultz, Jr. Ann J. Hutchinson	Owosso, Mich. Springfield, Mass.
June 27	Brattleboro, Vt.	Anthony Bombay Julia Juraszek	Hinsdale Brattleboro, Vt.
June 27	Hinsdale	Robert A. Berry Barbara E. Kellyhouse	Turners Falls, Mass. Turners Falls, Mass.
June 30	Hinsdale	Richard R. Blanchette Barbara H. Budzienski	Hartford, Conn. Terryville, Conn.
July 4	Hinsdale	Howard J. J. Foley Evelyn E. Alexander	Holyoke, Mass. Holyoke, Mass.
July 18	Hinsdale	Ronald S. Capen Irene S. Bokum	Hinsdale Hinsdale
July 21	Brattleboro, Vt.	Wendell L. Cook Eleanor J. M. Miles	Hinsdale Brattleboro, Vt.
Aug. 1	Hinsdale	Ronald E. Tubbs Helen M. Galvin	Indian Orchard, Mass. Springfield, Mass.
Aug. 8	Brattleboro, Vt.	Michael Jasienowski Harriette Taylor	Hinsdale Brattleboro, Vt.
Aug. 15	Hinsdale	Raymond C. Hildreth, Jr. Therese M. R. LaPointe	Hinsdale Hinsdale

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